# Quick sale of water boards to raise £5bn

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#### By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

The Government is prepar-ing to give itself a £5 billion pre-election boost by rushing through the sale of at least half country's water the . authorities.

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Contrary to previous expectations that only the profitable Thames Water Authority and perhaps one other would be sold off before the next general election, ministers are now rapidly drawing up plans to dispose quickly of five, and

maybe six, of the 10 authori-ues in England and Wales. The five earmarked for early sale are Thames, whose ··· 030 chairman Mr Roy Watts has been one of the foremost advocates of privatization, 51 11 20 30 A 10 Seven-Trent, Southern, Anglian and Northumbrian, woose assets include the Kielder reservoir.

Ministers are optimistic that the sales could realize an average of £1 billion each. They bope to float them off in quick succession, starting within weeks of the Bill pro-viding for the privatization of the industry becoming law in the early summer of next year. Ministers accept that an early summer election in 1987 would prevent most of the sales going through in time. But if, as they believe is increasingly bkely, the election is not called until 1988, the income raised could add

considerably to the Chancellor of the Exchequer's scope to get down to his 25p standard rate tax target, and, in their view more importantly, to allocate far greater sums on capital

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measures to bring down unemployment. Ministers involved believe. that the release of such large additional sums will further. enliven the internal Cabinet debate over whether the pro-ceeds of asset sales should be reinvested in job creation measures rather than tax-

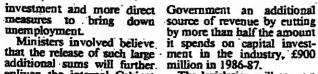
cutting. The assets of the 10 authorities are valued at about £27 billion. Their total sale will amount to the biggest act of privatization since the Government came to power in

1979. In line with the ministerial urgency and enthusiasm for their disposal, the Bill to privatize them is expected to be among the first to be introduced in the next session of Parliament in the autumn. with the aim of getting it into the House of Lords as soon as

possible in the new year. The sale of half of the authorities would give the

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The legislation will convert the authorities into public limited companies, establish a system of regulating them, and allow domestic water metering trials. The aim is then for the companies to be floated off individually at what the Government considers the most

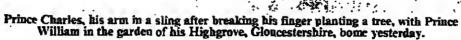
propitious time. All the authorities chosen for early sale are considered to have good prospects of finding buvers

In 1984-85 Thames made a profit of £55 million on a turnover of £455 million; Severn-Trent £45 million on a £352 million turnover, Southern £18.7 million on a of £156.3 million turnover: Apglian £52 million on a £268 million turnover; and Northumbrian, although with a turnover of less than £107 million and a population of less than three million, has markedly improved its finan-

cial performance When he announced the Bill, Mr Kenneth Baker, Secretary of State for the Environment, told the Commons that the authorities were now fit and ready to join the private sector, bringing benefits to customers, to the industry and to the nation, with improved quality, more efficient service. greater commitment from staff and more awareness of customer preference.



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# **DPP faces Yard's fury over Glenholmes** papers blunder

#### By Stewart Tendler, Crime Reporter

servative MP for Orpington, an expert on extradition and also an opponent of the Anglo-Irish accord, that the Irish court should bave honoured the spirit of extradition and

On Saturday Miss Glenholmes, wanted by the Yard as a Provisional IRA Miss warrants. Today as Yard officers prepare a report on the extradisuspect in a series of London tion senior officers are bombings in which three peoexpected to raise the events in ple died, was released in the Dublin and the question of middle of an extradition hear-

ing after the judge ruled that New suspicions Leading article new warrants directly with Sir

> Thomas Mr Douglas Hurd, the Home Secretary, is expected to make a statement in the Commons but yesterday there was no one available to comment from the DPP's office.

Sir Michael: Havers, the Attorney General; has partiamentary responsibility for the workings of the DPP's office and he may face questioning over the Dublin affair from

# **BL** sale review after takeover talks collapse

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#### By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

Ministers will today review good was still the subject of the apparent wreckage of their some doubt among ministers plans for the sale of the British yesterday. There is obviously Leyland truck division and Land Rover after the breakdown in talks with General Motors of the United States on Friday night. Mr Paul Channon, the Sec-

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retary of State for Trade and Industry, will report to his colleagues on the reasons behind the American company's decision to pull out and the prospects for any resumption of talks with them, particulary on the future of the truck division.

GM last night issued an official statement saying that the Government had told it that its proposal for the acquisition of BL's commercial vehicle business would not be supported. It described the move as "unfortunate". But after a confusing weekend there was still a reluctance among ministers last night to accept that the last had been

seen of GM. The reason the Government could not accept its proposal was because ministers, mindful of backbench opposition.

wanted a deal that would guarantee British institutions firmed. retaining control, even in the long-term. Friday's meeting was in-tended to flush out GM's final

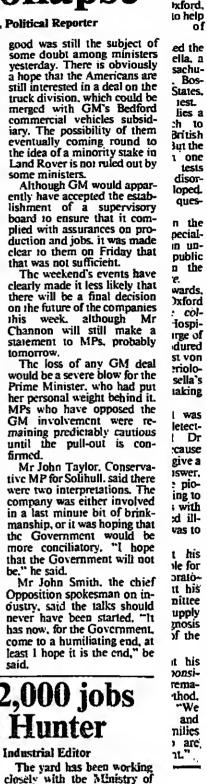
negotiating position, but they were unable to accept the Government's terms, which fell far short of what was on offer when they were originally invited to talk about a be." he said. takeover. It was at that point that Mr Channon told the negotiating team that the Land Rover talks could not proceed on their terms.

ousuy, said the talks should never have been started, "It has now, for the Government, Whether the dramatic return to Detroit by the GM come to a humiliating end, at team meant that it had pulled least 1 hope it is the end," be out of the takeover talks for said.

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# Fears for 2,000 jobs at Swan Hunter

By Derek Harris, Industrial Editor Swan Hunter, the Tyneside The yard has been working shipbnilder sold two munths closely with the Ministry of ago by British Sbipbnilders to Defence on the design of the a management group, called vessels and put in a tender, an emergency board meeting believing it was firm favourite in a Durham hotel yesterday to pick up the order. But a



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the nine warrants were invalid Smear on because of a legal technicality. As the woman disappeared again criticism of the way the DPP's office handled the case Thatcher emerged both in Dublin and London where Yard sources alleged were at pains yesterday to exonerate the trish authorities By Philip Webster of any responsibility for events on Saturday. **Political Reporter** 

One senior officer went so Whitehall sources yesterfar as to complain that the day dismissed as "smears" the DPP's office had failed to take attacks by Opposition politi-cians on the Prime Minister the case sufficiently seriously, adding: "As far as 1 am

irland border.

There was also a suggestion from Mr Ivor Stanbrook, Conbranch, was being questioned about how the warrants had been drawn up. It emerged they were faulty. the Irish judge described them as "bad", because the "information", describing the offence and the suspect, laid not picked holes in the before the London magistrate who signed the warrants had

not been sworn before him as should have been. Extradition warrants to the Irish Republic are made out by a magistrate after information has been laid before him by an official, usually a police-13 man. The detective told the court that warrants were originally issued for Miss Glenholmes on October 31 1984 but the warrants were

returned to London because the Irish authorities warned they were defective. New warrants were pro-

Lambeth duced al Magistrates' Court in November-1984 based on the same informant but the detective told the court the official giving the information had orn in be

Who really pulls the strings in Whitehall? Colin Hughes enters a shifting maze of bureaucracy in search of the power points

#### The Great Debate

Ten years after Callaghan's call for a rethink on education, Shirley Williams reviews the progress



The weekly prize in The Times Portfolio competition, doubled to £40,000 because there was no winner last week. was shared by Dr Margaret Oliver of Edinburgh and Mr George Gayson of Dunstable, Beds. Saturday's £2,000 daily prize was won by Mr G Gray of Framlingham, Suffolk. This week the weekly prize

of £20,000 will be awarded on Friday, rather than Saturday. This is because the Stock Exchange will be closed on Friday and there will be no daily prize for that day. Portfolio list page 20; how to play, information service, page 16.

#### Tobacco ban

Tougher health warnings and a ban on cinema advertising of cigarettes are among measures. expected in a new code to be announced this week Page 3

#### Museum row

The Victoria and Albert Muscum faces a dispute with the Property Services Agency over Page 16 flood damage

Fraud fighter The Government is expected to set up a central agency to combat fraud Page 2 Page 2

#### On this day

Golden Miller astounded racegoers by winning the 1934 Grand National by five lengths On this day, page 13 himself?

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after the disclosure that she device in the Nevada desert, provoking a swift congressiohad engaged in share dealings nal outcry and apparently in Australia in her own name. adding to the strain in super-Dr David Owen, the leader nower relations. of the Social Democratic Par-

**Test blast** 

sets off

**US** outcry

From Christopher Thomas

Washington

urgent appeal from more than 60 congressmen on Saturday

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missile defence weapons.

not test again until April.

From Peter Nichols

which may never be revealed. Was Sindona really in posses-

sion of such tremendous se-crets that his life, as he

repeatedly said, was in con-

stant danger even in a modern,

According to Signor Nino

high-security prison?

Rome -

The United States defied an

ty, yesterday accused Mrs Thatcher of being "amazingly It was the first blast since December 28 and since Mosfoolish" after reports that she had bought and sold shares in cow announced, more than a week ago, that it would extend the Australian company, Bro-ken Hill Proprietary, making its eight-month-old unilateral test ban beyond March 31 if America did not test.

a profit of £2,300. He said in an interview on Most US officials and memthe Channel 4 programme Face the Press that if it turned bers of Congress believe the Soviet Union will now end its out that Mirs Thatcher had self-imposed moratorium. been dealing in shares all the time she had been in Downing American analysts say they are likely to conduct tests at an Street, and dealing in shares in accelerated rate to make up British as well as overseas lost ground and to hasten companies, the impact would development of new air and

be devastating. After the blast, delayed by Ten Dowaing Street said yesterday that the Prime Min-15 minutes to test for unexpected winds, the State Deister did not wish to comment partment said further planned on a private matter. "But we can assure you the rales governing ministerial conduct tests would go ahead "to ensure the credibility and are, and have been, metica-lously observed." effectiveness of the US nucle-

ar deterrent". Congressmen did not know until Thursday that the explo-The rules covering the hold-ing of shares by Cabinet ministers stipulate that they should not have a holding of sion was to go ahead. Most had assumed the US would shares which constitutes 1 Angry senior Democrats controlling interest in the com-pany, or that they should own shares that might lead to them have renewed their demands Republicans and Loyalists of for President Reagan to resume negotiations with Mosfacing a conflict of interest in cow for a comprehensive test their particular departments. ban treaty. Senator Alan Cran-There is no rule against the ston, of California, said the holding of shares

blast meant it would now appear to the world that the Whitehall sources said that the case disclosed could not be Soviet Union was more interseen as breaching either of the ested in peace than the US. rules. It was open and above The US has conducted 772

tests compared with Moscow's estimated 564 since the nucle-Mr Roy Hattersley, the Shadow Chancellor, said yesar age began more than four decades ago. It held 17 tests terday that the Prime Minister last year, whereas its figures say the Soviet Union tested must make a fell statement today to protect "her own Continued on page 16, col 4 integrity".

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Sir Thomas Hetherington, Director of Public Prosecu-

tions, and his staff today face

the fury of senior Scotland

Yard detectives in a heated

Whitehall inquest on the legal

blunder which freed Evelyn

Glenholmes from a Dublin

court at the weekend.

row with the DPP". There is anger that the warrants lay for 18 months without any checks to make Det Inspector Joseph Glass, of sure they could be used safely. the Yard's anti-terrorist

court as he had been the first Miss Glenholmes owes her time.

freedom to cross-examination The magistrate signed the on her behalf in the Dublin warrant pro forma saying that sworn information had been district court on Friday when laid before him that day when in fact it had not.

# Irish say Britain blundered

#### By Richard Ford, Belfast

thorities yesterday for the terrorism. embarrassing deback border- With M

With Miss Glenholmes now ing on farce that ended with in hiding, a furious lrisb Scotland Yard's most-wanted Government rounded on the terrorist suspect a free woman. British authorities for failing

But as both Governments began inquiries into the exmaordinary events surrounding the extradition case, they insisted that it would not harm Anglo-Irish co-operation on security matters, particularly along the Nothern Provisional Sinn Fein, the

political wing of the Provisional IRA, is delighted at the court releasing Miss Evelyn Glenbolmes, aged 29, a terror-ist suspect from West Belfast, and the authorities are aware of the propaganda value to Mr Dukes:

angry"

## Venables the target

Don Howe's resignation as European Cup semi-finals un-Arsenal manager has left the der him.

Arsenal will have rivals. London club even more eager to secure Terry Venables as his replacement. Howe's deci-sion, which came after Saturday's 3-0 win over Cov-played, are also known to be entry and with three months interested as would England if the Football Association deof his contract still to run, was because Arsenal had made cide not to retain Bobby Robson after the World Cup little secret of their imention to Jure Venables from Barcelo-Finals in Mexico this na, who have reached the summer.

Mafia ties.



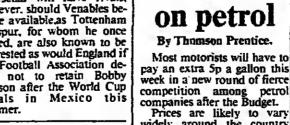
amid growing fears over jobs. lower tender from Harland The Swan Hunter board was followed by a request to fears that a contract worth op Swan Hunter to submit anothto £120 million for two vessels er

for the Royal Fleet Auxiliary At the Durham meeting, may go to the state-owned still going un last night, the Belfast shipyard of Harland & Swan Honter managers were Wulff. expected to decide on the new This is despite written guar- tender.

antees from the Government. The management team begiven at the time of the buy- lieves that if the order is lost out, that the Tyne yard would they will be forced to lay off have no unfair competition design staff, with a threat of from nationalized businesses. 1,000 redundancies by next The contract represents Christmas out of the present more than half Swan Hunter's workforce of 4,500. There fnture base wurkload, leaving might be a further 1,000 possibly 2,000 jobs at risk redundancies a year after that.

possibly 2,000 jobs at risk





Prices are likely to vary widely around the country Sindona death leaves trail of mystery with some retailers adding the full 7.5p increase in duty imposed by the Chancellor. But some of the biggest rivals. such as Esso, BP and Shell, tigators in connection with his will support dealers so that drivers will be asked for only a The secrets be is said to

further 5p and even less in have taken to the grave are in part financial. He is alleged to some areas. Both Esso and BP predicted have beloed some 500 public yesterday that there will be personalities to export capital price wars at the pumps

A spokesman for BP said:"We reckon that on average 5p of the full increase will be appearing at the pumps this week, and that figure will crode as the competition increases. We think the average cost of a gallon of four-star petrol will go up to £1.76 or £1.77 from last week's average of between £1.70 to £1.73." The AA reported prices as

low as £1.58 on Saturday.

bility. He said Sindona had at one time threatened to reveal secrets which would have compromised relations between

taly and the US. The object of these threats would have been Continued on page 16, col 4

ic lodge Propaganda 2, which was banned as subversive. Both had had dealings with the Vatican bank, and Sindona Sindona, his sen, the tence, imposed by an Amerialso with the Mafia in Sicily

had condemned him, and the The death by poisoning on Saturday of Michele Sindona public prosecutor. He said: means one of the most mysterious personatities in recent "We must hope that they were Italian history has left behind insulting letters." He also hinted that a letter might have him his greatest secret - was be murdered or did be kill been written to the family and And there is another secret

could eventually be received. Sindapa was struck down two days after being sentenced to life imprisonment by a Milas court for ordering the marder of Giorgio Ambrosoli, the official liquidator of one of his failed banks. He was already serving a 25-year sen-

financieralso left behind three can court, for criminal and New York. He had been

letters in his cell. They were hankruptcy, of which he had charged by the Palermo inves addressed to the presiding served five years. tigators in connection with his addressed to the presiding judges of the two courts which His death is compared to that of Roberto Calvi. the

Italian banker whose body was

found hanging under London's Blackfriars Bridge four years ago. Calvi was an associate of Sindone and he, too, departed this world mysteriously, either by suicide or murder. The two had close links.

illegaliy. Senstur Francesco de Martino, former chairman of the commission of inquiry into Sindona's affairs, added at the They had collaborated in the weekend a less inown possiworld of banking and had both belonged to the secret Mason-

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GEOLOGY

White Gray Chalk (Difficult)

## Government to Britain should chalk up a Channel tunnel win group big guns in all-out war on fraudsters ed, F pea: Con priv

#### By Philip Webster, Political Reporter

A high-powered organization charged with the detection, investigation and prosecution of serious fraud is expected to be established soon by the Government.

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Mr John Macgregor, the Chief Secretary to the Treasury, is heading an interdepartmental government committee, which is likely to report soon after Easter. It is thought likely to recommend the unified organization as the latest in a series of measures to combat the financial fraud-STELLS.

resources of the various agencies that at present handle fraud cases; the police, the Director of Public Prosecutions, the companies inspec-torate of the Department of Trade and industry and the revenue departments of the Treasury. It would be staffed by

lawyers, accountants and in-vestigation officers, all trained in the appropriate skills. A study on whether such an

organization should be set up was one of the recommendations of the fraud trials committee under Lord Roskill. Key ministers with departmental responsibilites accept Lord Roskill's arguments that such an organization would allow fewer serious frauds to escape prosecution by slipping through the net of a series of bodies working in the same field\_

They believe it would lead to more effective prosecution, with scope for reducing delays

in bringing cases to trial. Ministers see practical difficulties in bringing together and opponents of the change organizations that have are confident of winning.

traditionaly worked separately but believe they are surmountable. The proposal is known to have backing within the DTI. the Treasury and among the Government's law officers.

If it wins the expected go-ahead it will be included in the main criminal justice Bill in the next session of Parliament. But another, even more farreaching proposal of the Roskill committee, the ending of jury trial in complex fraud cases, is understood to have caused considerable differ-

ences within the Government. This would combine the Although the Roskill recommendation for so-called fraud trials tribunals, comprising a judge and two lay members, is believed to be supported by the Treasury, the Department of Trade and Industry and Lord Hailsham of St Marylebone, the Lord Chancellor, other key minis-ters with responsibilities in the area are known to have strong

objections on political and legal grounds.

Roskill proposed that the two lay members should be given an equal vote on the verdict and could if necessary demonstrate their independence of the judge by outvoting him. But the judge alone would

have responsibility for sentenc-ing and dealing with questions of law.

Senior ministers believe there are big difficulties inherent in such an approach and believe that the removal of jury trial in any field could prove to be highly unpopular.

A decision has to be made within the next few months, term settlement.

#### Swoop on Ministry caution on jockeys in tax probe new town By Thomson Prentice By High Clayton Environment Correspondent

Leading jockeys, trainers The Ministry of Agriculture and racehorse owners have been visited in a co-ordinated has issued mild reservations about plans to build a new town for 14,000 people at Tillingham Hall in Essex, but operation by Customs officers

investigating alleged tax irreg-ularities in the racing industry. they fall far short of the outright opposition that local Teams of VAT officers from London, Reading and East OPPO Anglia arrived without warnboped for. ing at the homes and stables of

Almost all of the 761 acres the jockeys and others last on the green belt site east of

open farmland.

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London consist of unspolled

By Michael Baily Transport Editor

Britain's tunnellers expect to be well over on the French Upper/Middle Chalk (Difficult) side when the two contractors meet under the waters of the Channel some time in 1989. That is not because Britain is necessarily better at tunnel-ling, but because France's TUNNEL BORING MACHINE

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tannellers will meet difficult conditions near the French coast, while Britain's team expect a clear ran in chalk mari throughout: perfect for tunnelling. As a result Britain expects to build about 22 km (13.6

miles) of the underwater tunnel compared with France's 19 km (11.8 miles). This will be the only notable

breach in the equality insisted os in inter-governmental nego-tiations. Both teams (five contractors making up a national team on each side) are working full out to make a start immediately after the treaty is signed in about May next year. Britain's Translink team (Balfour Beatty, Costain, Tar-

(Banton Taylor Woodrow, and Wimpey) is inviting tenders for the massive machinery to bore the three needed tunnels Quotes are expected world-wide, with British, German,

American, and Japanese companies perhaps favourites to build the six machines each up to 10 m (33 ft) long and cost-ing up to £20 million. The first will start cutting

strike levy

By Rogald Faux

continue paying a strike levy of up to £15 a month to be

prepared for further action if

the independent review on

Scottish teachers are to

an 8 km (5 mile) land tunnel from the Cheriton terminal Teachers keep up

near Folkestone to Shakespeare Cliff, south of Dover where the tunnel will cross the coast about 50 m (164 ft) beneath the waterline, then carry on out to sea in a gentle curve. As shown on the accompa-

nying diagram, Britain's team will be working in chalk marl throughout; a homogenous material, impermeable, strong hut soft, and consistent.

The general extradition ar-

rangement between Britain

and the Irish Republic under

which Evelyn Glenholmes

was held is usually one of the

most straightforward legal op-

About the same time, the French team will be strug-gling, by a geological quirk, through opper and grey chalk,

which tend to be fissured and let water in, necessitating special trancling techniques to keep it out, and gault ciay. a beavy expanding material that puts pressure on the tunnel and requires extra-strong

linings The transel boring machine (TBM) is a long tobe with a cutter head at the front that rotates to gouge out the hole, and conveyor belts or sluices behind to carry away spoil.

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Cutter head moves forwar

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(Easy)

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Also in the machine is an erector arm that puts in place

Glenholmes extradition

#### panels behind the cutter as i roceeds; and a control room where the operator works the Only when boring is finished and the TBMs removed

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GLISH CHANNEL

**FLINNEL ROUTE** 

can railway equipme installed in the tunnel.

There is the perennial question of meeting in the middle. Accidents have happened, but tunnellers reckon to get within two or three inches of target after 20 km (12.4 miles) of tunnelling. Out in the open

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What if, in spite of these aids to navigation, the two sides meet six inches askew? "You offer your resignation," Ross MacKenzie, the engineer ending Britain's team, says.

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But they do not really expect it to happen. Instead, the first trains look like speeding to trains look like speading to Paris on time, late in 1991, through the biggest hole man has ever made in Europe's soil.

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Alliance may merge after poll says Owen By Our Political Reporter

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Dr David Owen yesterday conceded the possibility of a merger between the Liberals and the Social Democratic Party, describing it as a legitimate question to be debated by the parties after the next ceneral election.

In remarks which Liberals were regarding as a slight shift in Dr Owen's position, the SDP leader said, "it may well be that we will merge", and, The longer you go on working ingether and do not achieve proportional representation I think the forces are moving you towards a merger". Mr David Steel, the Liberal

eader, last month came down in favour of a merger after the election. Dr Owen has always been opposed, believing that the two parties should operate as separate entities. Yesterday, on the Channel 4 programme,

Face the Press, he said a merger was not absolutely inevitable or necessary, al-When the party is genuine-ly one party we will know it," he said, adding that there would be a full debate about a

merger after the election, which was the right time for it. Dr Owen also indicated that differences between the two parties on defence may not be settled by the next election. The main area of controversy is over Polaris. which the SDP, although against Tri-dent, is prepared to replace while the Liberals are not.

Dr Owen warned: "We may not close that gap," But he said he thought the two parties would fight the election on an agreed defence policy for the tion case in Britain may have to be presented to the courts 10 period of the next government, 1988 to 1993. IRA and INLA appeals

## Whitehall efficiency chief quits

The Civil Servant at the head of the Government's Efficiency Unit is leaving to take up a private sector job.

Mr Ian Beesley, aged 43, is to take a management consul-tancy post with Price Waterhous

His departure raises questions about the future of the unit, one of the few surviving monuments within Whitehall to the Government's earlier enthistism for reforming the Civil Service.

. Mr Beesley has been an active supporter of continuing the Financial Management

climbdown on other demands A Scottish secondary school teacher said yesterday: "Everyone regards this as an interim pay deal but the levy will continue because very few leachers expect that the fight

to accepting the findings of the independent inquiry and a reference by Mr Rifkind (Sec-

"Neither side is committed

retary of State for Scotland) to having the findings subject to financial constraints on the country frankly does not bode well. That looks to me like a

erations of its kind. salaries and conditions fails to But there are exceptions provide an acceptable longand one covers political ac-tivities, making the task of getting JRA or INLA suspects That is the strongest indication that the teachers' accepto Belfast or London fraught tance of a 15 per cent increase with difficulty. over two years and the prom-ise to end their examinations The first step in extradition.

boycott do not mean a for Orpington and co-author of the standard English legal work on extradition, is the issuing of a warrant by one of the stipendiary magistrates normally sitting at Bow Street. The warrant does not require prima facie proof of the

offence supported by the evidence of witnesses as required by some foreign and Commonwealth countries.

Irish court.

All the magistrate needs is information on oath from a police officer that a particular offence has been committed and a named person is sought

Republic. The application is

made by the Director of

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ments are drawn up for the

New head

Difficulties of a simple system By Stewart Tendler, Crime Reporter The warrant is sent to political, an offence under Dublin where it can be en- military law which is not an. dorsed by the Commissioner, offence under ordinary criminal law, or a revenue offence.

deputy commissioner or assis-The offence on the warrant tant commissioner. must correspond with a simi-Once the wanted person has been arrested he or she must be brought before a local

court. The suspect must be given an opportunity to ap-peal to the Irish courts to show

A suspect may not be extradited, or the warrant even endorsed, if it can be shown that the offence was Court. Much of the prosecu- yet in operation.

#### Irish blame Britain for blunder sible for the errors that led to court in the morning, rearrest

Continued from page 1

The Irish government is concerned that the freeing of Miss Glenholmes will be viewed in Britain as evidence

last night there was no lack of .term for the way he felt. "I am

Miss Glenholmes being freed. Mr Dukes said: "The re-

Miss

sponsibility lies with the pcople who drew up the warrants in the first place. They have a that the republic has not fine isst place and require-political will to extradite peo-ple for alleged terrorist of this kind and they were nor offences. adhered to." The word Government sources said "furious" was a restrained

will bur it was up to Britain to "extremely any about the fact. for the crime in the lish ensure that the accuracy of.

ed less than an honr later and freed again in the afternoon. Her first brief period of freedom was accompanied by scenes resembling the "Keystone Cops".

Her superiors meluding prominent members of Sinn Fein, managed to get her into a waining car where special branch detectives laid on the bonnet and roof in an attempt

why they should not be extradited. according to Mr Ivor Stanbrook, Conservative MP

warrants.

Mr Dukes accused the Brit-

lar offence in the Republic and must be indictable or one providing for six months imprisonment on summary conviction. The appeal against extradition goes to the local District Court and may then pass through the Irish judicial sys- Eire has recently signed the tem to the Irish Supreme convention, although it is not

return concern bonus payments, Lato not have been declared in The si Everto nal all Ratch able, a young conte Luton ter su Man said City w who is faces mond succe ment for the with P playee succe

individuals' tax returns. - The Customs and Excise said yesterday that it had been making inquiries for some Tillingham Hall. weeks. "The investigations are continuing. Nobody has been charged with any offence", it

Large sums, possibly rang-ing into millions of pounds in total, could be involved in the payments, which industry sources said yesterday bave been common practice.

ciation has told the Govern-The ministry says in its ment that its increased latest comments to local councils that it would prefer the mes to be built on derelict industrial land south of It does not want farmland to be lost at Tillingham Hall "if no need for development is established". Consortium Deshould be deferred.

north London.

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has ended.

velopments, the group of com-panies that wants to build the new town, insists that building should be allowed there.

The appeal continues today\_

Heart death David Kenward, aged sev-en, of Great Barr, Birmingham, died vesterday a day

after a heart transplant operation at Harefield Hospital,

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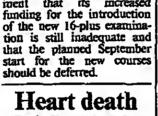
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The Secondary Heads Asso-

## tries Trust challenge By John Young

Dame Jennifer Jenkins ho becomes chairman of the National Trust today, might well have resigned herself long ago to being simply the wife of a famous politician.

Being married to a man who has been Home Secretary and Chancellor of the Exchequer in Labour governments, depa-ty leader of the Labour Party, President of the European Commission and founder-ar-chitect of the Social Democratic Party, might seem

demanding enough. It was politics that brought her and her husband together; she was chairman of the Cambridge University Labour Club as a wartime undergraduate at Girton, and they met at a Fabian summer school at Dartington Hall. But in recent years she has pursued her own interests, notably in historic buildings and orban renewal. In 1965, while teaching

history and current affairs at Kingsway College, Holborn, she was appointed chairman of the Consumers' Association, which she held for 11 years before moving to the chair-manship of the Historic Buildings Council for England.

Dame Jennifer concedes that conservation has come a available. long way since its low point at the end of the 1960s. The public has been persuaded to see it as more than just a question of preserving old buildings for their own sake, and to appreciate the benefits in terms of better housing and

ish authorities, and in particu-lar the Director of Public On Saturday lar the Director of Public On Saturday, Miss Prosecutions, of being respon-Glenholmes was freed by the

Dame Jennifer is new chairman of trust .

But in the past three years reductions in public spending have meant a decline again, particularly in the inner cities. Urban areas built 100 years ago need important repairs, bot no money is being made The inner cities are a long

way from what is conventionally thought of as National Trust territory. Does she think it has a role to play there? "I think we must be very.

careful not to take on tasks for which there are other existing a more attractive environment. organizations. The conserva-

tion of whole areas requires fan greater resources than we have at our disposal.

"But I think we might pay more attention to small build-ings, as they do in Scotland. There is a tendency in England to suppose that only the large and spectacular is interesting."

Lemmon in A Long Day's Journey Into Night, and was One campaign which she unavailable for comment. will continue to wage is against The theatre does not expect the imposition of value-added to conclude details of its tax on building repairs while future artistic programme unnew buildings are exempt. She til April, but it might include works by playwrights such as Ibsen and O'Neill. considers this a direct disincentive to conservation.

that, we acting in good faith, to prevent a dowing remove a Civil Service advofound ourselves acting on the ... The events were described cate of efficiency close to the basis of warrants that were by Dr Michael Woods, Irish heart of the Government. opposition spokesman, having brought "international embarrassment"

Drama to

return at

**Old Vic** 

By David Hewson

Arts Correspondent Serious drama is to return

permanently to the Old Vic.

probably under the artistic

directorship of Jonathan Miller. Mr Ed Mirvisch, the Cana-

dian entrepreneur who re-opened the theatre in 1983, is

abandoning the present policy of using it for six-week runs of

plays and musicals from out-

side production companies. Instead, the Old Vic will pay

for its own productions, for an undisclosed sum, and is nego-

tiating with, Dr. Miller for a year of serious plays beginning in 1988. Other well-known directors are expected to join

the company. Since the theatre reopened

under Mr Mirvisch's owner-

ship it has been the temporary

the theatre guaranteed a per-

Its most serious produc-

tions, notably the recent dra-matization of Pride and

Prejudice, have attracted the

Dr Miller is at present in

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Other standings are:

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outside backers,

The unit was set up in the Cabinet Office to carry on the work of Lord Rayner in scrutinizing Whitehall scrutinizing management.

Its small team of Civil Service high flyers and business people on secondment are supposed to carry-out. cross-department studies on such things as paperwork and purchasing of supplies.

But the unit appears recently to have run into Whitehall. resistance to new methods. Spectrum, page 10

## **Print leader** charged at Wapping

Mr Tony Dubbins, the gen eral secretary of the National Graphical Association, is to appear in court charged with obstructing a highway near Mr Rupert Murdoch's Wapping print plant."

Mr Dubbins was charged on Saturday after disturbances outside the plant which was producing the News of the World and The Sunday Times,

home of everything from clas-sical Greek tragedy to the Sandy Wilson musical, The Boyfriend, and farce. For each, Scotland Yard said 53 peo-ple were arrested, and charges were brought against 45 of centage of income but left the production of the show to its them, mostly for public order offences.

They are due to appear in court from April 1 onwards. Mr Dubbins, who lives in Bedfordshire, is expected to appear before Thames magisrates on April 3.

## Labour lead in election poll

A Gallup poll published by the Sunday Telegraph showed that 43.5 per cent of the electorate would vote Labour in the Fulham by-election and 35.5 per cent would vote. Conservative. The SDP Alhance was in third place with 20.5 per cent.

A poll published in the Daily Express on Saturday gave Labour 39 per cent. Conservatives 35 per cent. Alliance 25 per cent and others I per cent.

Flear is due to meet his coleader, Chandler, in the next

By our Crossword Editor For the first time in the become Leeds champion Collins Dictionaries/Times Crossword Championship, a tie-breaker was necessary. At the Leeds Regional Final, held at the Queen's Hotel, Leeds, Mr P J Meade and Mr

Word-men tie in battle

G P Conway had solved the four puzzles in an average of ust under 10 minutes each. Mr Meade, aged 46, a com-

puter scientist at GCHQ, Cheltenham, and a four-times national finalist, solved the tiein nine minutes to

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Mr Conway, aged 25, a van-driver from Blackburn who read electronic engineering at Lon-don University, had twice failed by one mistake to make the -national final, to which he now

computer software specialist from Whitey Bay, was third, taking an average of 12.5 minutes a puzzle, and Mr R M Hartill. aged 36. manager of the Forum Theatre. Billingham, was fourth. Both qualify for the national final

goes forward. Mr. N. Robiason, zged 43, a

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lead with another British play-er grandmaster, Murray Chan-

Flear's round eight game against Jon Speelman was djourned in a position where he had a clearly won rook and Dawn codine

Britons ahead in chess By Harry Golombek, Chess Correspondent Flear and Chandler are followed by the Hungarian grandmaster, Ribli, and the British grandmaster, Short, with 5½ points each. At the end of round nine in the GLC London Chess Challenge at the Great Eastern. Hotel, the Leicester interna-tional master, Glean Flear, looked likely to be sharing the

dler, at 61/2 points.

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# **Tobacco firms agree to** ban on cigarette advertising in cinemas

#### By Nicholas Timmins, Social Services Correspon

A bay on cinema advertis- had from the Department of A bat, on cinema advertis-ing of cigareties, six new bealth warnings which include for the first time specific warnings that smoking can cause heart disease, lung can-cer and emphysema, and a freque in real terms on tobarroo freeze in real terms on tobacco com panies' advertising are ex-pected to be announced this

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The new voluntary agreement with the industry -aseparate agreement on sports sponsorship is being negotiated - also provides that advertising for sponsored sports events must obey the provisions of the ordinary advertising code.

That is understood to mean that advertisements for the events should no longer link brand names to success in sport, manliness, courage, dar-ing or healthy outdoor activities.

A new committee to monitor the advertising agreement is also to be set np under an independent chairman, but composed half of representatives from the industry and Association.

Doctors are increasingly Health. At present complaints abont breaches of the advertising code are handled chiefly code are handled chiely through the Advertising Stan-dards Authority but anti-smoking groups complain that the authority has failed to enforce the spirit of the code, although the code provides that it should be followed in the spirit as well as the letter. The ban on cinema advert

The ban on cinema advertising will affect only X-rated policies at work. films as cigarette advertising is already banned for other cate-

gories. The new health warnings are expected to come the UK. Evidence is appearing that links passive smoking to fatal heart disease, the conferfrom the chief medical officers as ministers believe a government health warning is seen as authoritarian and is rejected ence of leading specialists in the field said.

by some young people. Health warnings on poster and press advertisements are also to be increased marginaladults. Symptoms are found in children, together with higher rates of bronchitis and

critical of the evidence that sports sponsorship and adver-tising reach children. Scien-tists and medical specialists believe there is now good evidence that passive smok-ing – inhaling other people's tobacco smoke – carries health risks. A conference in Oxford at the weekend called for em-ployers and employees to take action to create no-smoking One estimate is that passive smoking causes about 200 lung-cancer deaths a year in Apart from such long-term risks, passive smoking has been shown to cause eye irritation, headache, nasal symptoms and coughs in

The changes are unlikely to satisfy those campaigning for a ban on all cigarette advertising and promotion, such as the British Medical pneumonia where the parents, Medical particularly the mother, Rescuer

dies in

pot-hole

By Peter Davenport

team was killed yesterday in an operation to find two miss-

tem beneath the North York-

shire Dales, one of the most popular pot-holing networks

He was the first member of the North Yorkshire Cave

Rescue Organization to be

killed in an underground oper-

ation during its 50-year

the most experienced in the

world. Mr Anderson, a bache-

lor and an electrician, of

Clapham, North Yorkshire,

had been a member for five

history. The organization is one

a the country.

A member of a cave rescue



A member of an all-women team lends a hand on the assault course in a military skills contest to find the top Territorial Army team from the greater London area, held near Brookwood, Pirhright, Surrey, at the weekend (Photograph: Peter Trievnor).

## Bethell takes airlines Terror danger 'greater to court over fares

#### By Michael Baily, Transport Editor

British Airways' is facing he was sold an open-ended legal action by Lord Bethell's Eurobudget return (current Freedom of the Skies cam-price £138). When he came to paign over "monopolistic" air fares to Amsterdam.

He alleges that an illegal pooling arrangement between BA and KLM, the Dutch airline, prevented him from enjoying the cheap £49 "early London-Amsterdam return that the airlines and their governments introduced

two years ago. Lord Bethell says that when he tried to buy a £49 ticket at Heathrow last year he was told ment yesterday on grounds for that action.

return from Amsterdam no Eurobudget seat was available and he had to buy the higher priced Club class ticket.

Lord Bethell claims that the BA-KLM agreement restricting early-saver fares to a small proportion of total seats on the route is contrary to EEC

BA is seeking to have Lord Bethell's claim struck off but the airline declined to comment' yesterday on the

Britain's airports will be stead, Glasgow, Edinburgh, ore open to terrorist attack if Prestwick and Aberdeen. more open to terrorist attack if they are privatized, airport Mr Tom Graves, chairman

The 10 trade unions reprosenting British Airports Authority employees claimed private owners would be tempted to cut corners on

The drive to maximise engers' luggage and there will profits byt the new owners will not be the same investment in make for lower standards", a sophisticated electronic equipstatement said. ment

A bill to privatize the seven "Once you run airports not for the public good but for profit, then looking after people becomes a secondary consideration."

the relevant part of the patient's anatomy. The string is then tied off and attached to the patient's face or ear. The pill can then remain in place for the 24 hours necessary to

make an accurate diagnosis. Signals are picked up external of the body by way of n "belt" type aerial which are then decoded by n microcom-puter controlled receiver. A big regional teaching hospital has started taking in washing. The 1,288-bed City Hospi-

tal in Nottingham is offering n cut-price laundering and drycleaning service from its laundry - the higgest hospital laundry in Europe.

affects thousands By Pearce Wright

Refusal

by doctor

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The medical electronics department of St Bartholomew's Hospital medical college is going commercial. Need for additional income Science Editor

Twenty-five thousand peo-ple are being denied a new medical lest that might indimedical test that might indi-cate if they have inherited a dehilitating disorder. Special-ists in genetic disorders at the Churchill Hospital, Oxford, want to use the method to help early diagnosis of Huntington's chorea. They have been refused the help of Dr James Gusella, a biochemist at the Massachuto finance research and devel-opment has led to the setting np of Medici Developments, an independent company which will initially manufacture three products: Ultra-soand therapy units and and interferential therapy ma-chines for use by physiothera-pists, plus n range of radio nills.

biochemist at the Massachu-setts General Hospital, Bos-ton, in the United States, whospitam devised the test. Twenty years in develop-ment, the radin pill is n small radin transmitter, designed in Behind the rejection lies a be swallowed, which measures difference in approach to medical ethics between British either pressure or pH levels within the body. and American doctors. But the In the case of a patient with issues are wider than one disease. Comparable tests n suspected stomach nicer, the radio pill offers a preferable alternative to examinations by coveringmost inherited disor-

ders are being developed. tube. The pill is tethered by n string and swallowed. An X-ray shows when it has reached They all raise similar questions The dispute between the British and American specialists has crupted into an unprecedented and bitter public exchange of letters in the scientific journal. *Nature*.

Professor John Edwards, professor of genetics at Oxford University, and three col-leagues from Churchill Hospital, suggest that the scourge of syphilis would have endured much tonger if Dr August von Wasserman, the bacteriolo-gist, had used Dr Gusella's arguments to delay making

available the his test. The Wasserman test was not a perfect method of detecting every case and Dr Gusella's refusal was because his discovery would not give a guaranteed correct answer. The Oxford doctors are pio-neers in genetic counselling to

individuals and families with anxieties about inherited illnesses. Their intention was to include the new test.

Dr Gusellasays that his method has been available for basic research to 30 laboratories in 10 countries but his hospital's ethics committee would not allow him to supply a copy for clinical diagnosis before any symptoms of the illness are apparent.

Dr Gusella says that his group feels a moral responsihility to prevent the premature clinical use of his method. Professor Edwards says: "We are not inexperienced and many members of the families we are trying to help are, responsible and intelligent."

Mortgage rate cut to boost prices By Christopher Warman, Property Correspondent The announcement of in interest rates, the two

ly in size.

morigage rate reductions by higgest building societies, the most of the big building Halifax and the Abbey Na-societies, after the Budget and tional, had reduced their rate bank rate cut last week, has for a repayment mortgage by been greeted with delight by 0.75 per cent to 12 per cent, leaders in the property mark with a 125 per cent cut for leaders in the property mar-ket, who see it as an important boost in confidence for housebuyers.

At the same time it is likely to lead to a jump in prices. "It will give great encouragement to the spring market, tradi-tionally the time to huy," Mr David, Robinson, vice-chair-man-of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors' estate agency committee.

He expected the change to have an effect on prices, although not immediately. "It

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will have a more direct effect at the lower end of the market, but will gradually work its way through the whole range of prices," he said.

which encouraged a reduction

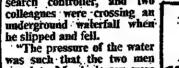
**Solicitors** 

act on

tional, had reduced their rate for a repayment mortgage by 0.75 per cent to 12 per cent, with a 1.25 per cent cut for endowment mortgages, re-flecting the ending of the differential rate for endow-ment mortgages ment mortgages, The Building Societies As-sociation met on Wednsday and decided, without a formal announcement, that a reduction of 0.75 per cent in the rate would be "appropriate". Shortly afterwards, the Na-tionwide, Leeds and Britannia

followed suit." On an average 25-year £20,000 mortgage, the reduction means a saving of about £5.50 a month. After tax relief, the monthly repayment will drop from £168.65 to £163.12, and on endowment mortgages the net cost will be reduced from £154.59 to £142.00.

Police later said that Mr Anderson, an underground search controller, and two, Safeway



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Sun Alliance announce a most "The pressure of the water was such that the two men roped to Mr Anderson were unable to pull hun out," in rower not were pull hun out, "in rower not," in North York-

# at privatized airports' staff said yesterday.

competition laws,

both safety and security.

BAA airports is going through the committee stage in Parlia-ment. It will affect the future of Heathrow, Gatwick, Stan-

of the joint union committee said: "There is nothing in the proposed legislation to ensure the same level of public safety. The sell-off will mean that

fewer security staff will be employed in checking pass-

.Solicitors acting in child care cases should have compulsory training and certain minimum experience, the Law Society said in its response, published today, to the Jas-

mine Beckford inquiry.

The society said it had taken steps to improve advocacy standards in child care cases and last year set up a specialist panel of solicitors to act in

such proceedings. From the end of this year, solicitors oo the panel must have at least 18 months of advocacy experience, have conducted at least five contestbasis for two years. ed child care cases, representing either children or parents, and have attended a practical training course.

The Law Society called on the Department of Health and Social Security to set minimun criteria on experience and training for local authority solicitors who conduct care CASES.

In the year to March 31, 1983, about 34,000 children were taken into local authority care, a quarter of whom were involved in a quarter of these juvenile court proceedings. The society is also reconsidering its reselection procedure

for the 1,000-strong panel, whose membership has to be renewed every three years.

It will issue new guidelines emphasizing that the solicitor is acting for the child rather than the parents.

care cases go organic Organically-grown fruit and nokesman for North shire police said. The two cavers from the vegetables will be available for East Anglia University Caving the first time in all 128

chain to

Cinh who had gone missing were named as Mr Nigel Crisp Safeway stores throughout Britain from tomorrow. Mr Tony Comhes, a Safeway spokesman, said the and Mr Ian Kitchen, both aged 23, of York Street, Norwich. They had taken shelter to

public was now prepared to pay up to 30 per cent more for the high quality produce. "Demand exceeds supply.

the caving system and when discovered, apart from being wet and cold, were unhart. The public want to buy the produce for the taste, health Two schoolboys on the and environmental reasoos." Dake of Edinburgh Gold Award Scheme had to be Organic growers and co-operatives in Kent, South

rescued from Cramond Island Wales and Scotland have been in the Firth of Forth after gale force winds hlew their tent supplying Safeway on a trial The boys, Sean Reid, aged The chain's largest supplier,

Mr Donald Cooper, of Yalding, near Maidstone, Kent, said: "We can't achieve Black, aged 16, of Sedgebank, Yalding, near Maidstone, Kent, said: "We can't achieve the same high yields as ordi-Ladywell, both Livingston nary produce hut I believe the Lothian, used torches to send n future holds great promise? morse code distress signal.

# Hunt for three rapists

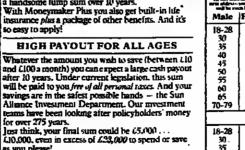
Three rapists were being a mother, aged 35, was raped hunted by detectives yester- after disturbing a burglar. She day after attacks in Essex and was hit on the head with a hammer at the house at Buckinghamshire. Thundersley, South Benfleet. In two of the incidents, the The second attack took women were raped in front of

place on Saturday morning at members of their families. Pitsea, Basildon. The rapist The police do not believe the attacked after a boy had got crimes are linked. into bed with his mother and Essex police have 100 detecfather. The third attack took place

tives working on the two attacks which happened five miles apart in Basildon and South Benfleet. 50 miles away in Slough, Buckinghamshire, on Saturday morning. In the first, on Wednesday,

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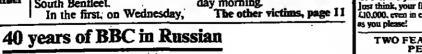


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The BBC External Services will today be celebrating 40 years of broadcasting to the Soviet Union in Russian -and so will their estimated 14 million listeners from Leningrad in the West to Vladivostnk in the East.

The BBC Russian Service has many firsts to its credit. It was the first to broadcast an interview in Russian with Al-exander Solzhenitsyn after he was expelled from the Soviet Union. Last month it broadcast the first interview with Anatoly Shcharansky to his fellow countrymen when he

arrived in Israel. The Rossian Service, like the entire BBC External Services, is funded by a grant-inaid from the Foreign Office, which decides in which lan-gauges the BBC should broadcest. The rest, including the division of the money and the editorial content of pro-

By a Staff Reporter grammes, is determined independently hy the BBC managers and programme. editors.

In its 40 years, the Russian Service has expanded from threeto 48 staff, to become one of the largest foreign language services in the BBC. Its broaddent trade union, Solidarity, in casts have increased to 46 Poland.

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music programme, which at-tracts a lively postbag, and a religious programme, which is the only transmission regularly exempted by the Soviet

The service has been jammed intermittently for 24 years, always in response to political developments. It began in 1949 when the cold war because she had heard it on was at its height and was lifted the BBC. in 1956 when Khrushchev

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Jamming is expensive, and the Soviet nuthorities have tended to concentrate on the larger cities to make it as cost-The BBC is prized by Soviet

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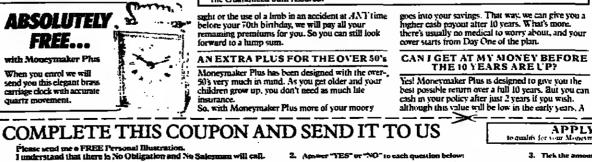
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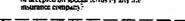
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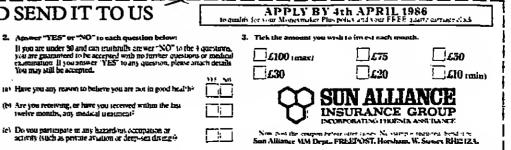
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# Swedish anger over Sellafield puts £100m deal at risk

#### By Thomson Prentice

Such a situation created

being largely attributable to Sellafield, greater even than

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dissatisfied.

The Swedish government is close to making a formal be done. protest to Britain about radioactive discharges from the Sellafield nuclear power station after evidence that fish in Swedish coastal waters have been contaminated.

The Swedes will consider awaiting reprocessing there." cancelling their £100 million contract to have spent nuclear environment committee refuel from Swedish power staport on radioactive waste, tions reprocessed at Sellafield published two weeks ago, unless they receive reassur-ances of tighter controls on described Sellafield as "the waste disposal at the Cumbria radioactive discharge in the world" and the Irish Sea as plant.

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Scientists in Stockholm "the most radioactive sea in have confirmed that fish off the world" as a result. the western coast of Sweden anxiety in other nations, the have been contaminated more report said. "We found, for by radioactive waste from example, that the Swedes llafield than from adjacent could identify radioactive Swedish nuclear stations. traces in fish off their coast

The Swedish minister with mecial responsibility for energy and the environment, Mrs Birgitta Dahl, voiced her government's anxiety in an interview with The Times in Stockholm.

"There have been alarming reports about the impact of discharges from Sellafield on our environment since 1983 and we are becoming increasingly concerned," she said.

"Our own experts believe there are grounds for criticizing the British procedures and

we feel that something should tion politicians and environmentalists to register com We are following very plaints over Sellafield. Sweden is committed to closely what is happening at Sellafield. If the situation does phase out nuclear power in the year 2010. not improve we will have to reconsider what to do with the Scientists monitoring radio

activity at Swedish nuclear Swedish spent fuel which is plants have compared the The House of Commons levels with those leaked in recent months at Sellafield. In one case the level was 1,000 times higher than we have recorded here," one exlargest recorded source of pert told The Times. Sweden does not reprocess

its own spent nuclear fuel and has 140 tons stored at Seilafield, where it is due to be reprocessed in the early 1990s. We are making sure that this Swedish fuel is not being processed there at the present time," Mrs Dahl said. Anti-nuclear campaigner. from the environmental protest group. Greenpeace, are 10 allowed inside the Sella-

Swedish nuclear power stafield plant to meet its workers Mr George Pritchard, the Mrs Dahl is due to make an campaign director, will visit official visit to Britain in the plant on March 31 with Mr September. Sources within her John Large, a consulting engineer, who has carried out ministry said she would not hesitate to raise the Sellafield independent surveys of the nuclear industry. issue with the British Government then if she is still A hundred anti-nuclear pro

testers held a Palm Sunday yesterday outside the The Swedish government vigil plant and threw more than has come under increasing 1.000 daffodils over the fence. pressure recently from opposi-



Mr Harold Jenner, a naturalist, with a red kite injured when it crashed into a North Sea oil rig off the Norfolk coast. Workers on the Penrod 85 rig found the bird, which is comparatively rare in Britain, covered in oil and hlind in one eye. After cleaning it, they paid £800 to charter a helicopter to fly it ashore, and have since sent money to feed it.

# **Council's Euro** road guide 'could kill'

A road safety guide for motorists going to the Conti-nent contains information which could kill, the Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents says. Council officials who drew it

ap have muddled up the road safety signs and got the con-version from kilometres to miles wrone

The guide, Drive Right in Europe, drawn up by the Labour-controlled West Midlands County Council, has been distributed in has Barmingham's Bull Ring and in and near the city's New Street railway station.

Miss Janice Cave, for the society, said yesterday: "The maddle-up between the two signs could lead motorists to be killed in head-on collisions The mistake in the speed limits tell motorists they can drive at 86mph on roads outside Spanish towns, where-as the limit is 56mph.

"Motorists are told to drive slower than they need to in French towns and on Norweian motorways."

The signs muddle involves one saying, "give priority to oncoming vehicles", and an-other saying "end of noovertaking".

Mr Don Jones, chairman of the road safety sub-committee, said: "We do not know whether this is a mistake by the printers or by officials."

# School governors: 1 Parents to have bigger voice in ways of teaching

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Parent governors are the new voice of the consumer in the education system. Introduced by law in 1980 by the Conservative government, they are to be expanded in number by the new Education Bill going through Parliament, Lncy Hodges, Education Correspondent, reports in the first of two articles.

want to be named for fear of Political domination by logetting into trouble with their school or authority. The Inner cal authority appointees will end and the largest schools London Education Authority, will have five parent goverfor example, tells parents to nors, the same number as contact the press office before those appointed by the local making statements to the press. One parent governor of education authority, under the Education Bill published last an flea primary school said month. At present schools she felt she was the token have one or two parent governors.

parent on the governing body. "I feel that at the moment Sir Keith Joseph, Secretary of State for Education and parent governors are thrown in at the deep end", she said Science, says the reform could When I was elected I had no mean more discipline, less idea of what was involved or peace studies but perhaps what my role would be." Now, more pressure from parents after 18 months, she is beginfor spending on education. ning to find her feet but is

The Bill aims to give parents the opportunity to be more involved in the life and work of their children's schools through the governing body's annual report and an last September, found the job similarly intimidating. "That annual parents' meeting. The Government clearly hopes that the reform will raise educational standards and make schooling more responsive to the community.

be applied to their school.

intimidated by the system.

is to take action.

have as much right to be there as anyone eise", she said. "But I have one important Governing bodies are spedilemma, which is that I need ifically given responsibility to speak out on issues that are for the conduct of the school important and representative and the power to consider the of other parents at the same local authority's policy on the curriculum and how it should time as being supportive of the head. Sometimes there is a conflict there."

worried that other parents do

Mrs Daphne Mullins, par

ent governor of a middle

school in Bedfordshire since

is something I have had to fight and tell myself that I

not know of her existence.

That means they will be able One such issue for Mrs to question what is taught and Mullins was corporal punishhow. It is the governors' job to ment to which she is opposed. write a statement of general principles on school discipline within which the head teacher The head and most governors were in favour, so corporal punishment was kept."

The parent sovernor of an School governing bodies are outer London primary school not being given new functions, complained that his authority. but their powers are given in did not allow parent gover-nors to see themselves as detail for the first time in law. That may help to give parent: representatives of parents but governors more confidence as representatives of the about the kind of issues they school

may raise at governors' meet-"It is ludicrous", he said.ings. But some of the muddle "You cannot do anything. We sent off-a letter to the educaabout responsibilities is likely tion authority about the teachers' pay dispute, but we to continue and many parent governors will continue to feel never heard anything.

Some parent governors who Tomo spoke to The Times did not can de. Tomorrow: What parent

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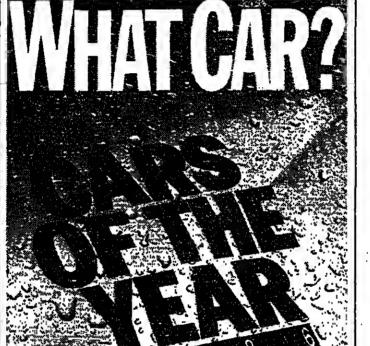
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By Geraldine Norman, Sale Ro

**Provincial sales spotlight** 

A good run for

Alan and Jim

Hars on which the success of Friday's furniture sale at Coliers, Bigwood and Bewlay; Stratford-upon-Avon, rested They bought or derbid boat one in three of the lots. m offer. They followed the ad, sizing up every ce as it came up for sale nd the auctioneer called their

unes as they bid. That is how I know them as. Alan and Jim; Alan declined o give his somame, saying that he did not want any dications with the tax man and Jim was quite cordial and happy to disclose that he had an antiques shop in Chipping Camden. He did not buy nearly as much of the forniture as Alan, but he had a particular interest in textiles. A group of five or six dealers chatting in one corner of the room was periodically asked

by the nectioneer to stop wasting time and start bidding. None of them liked the idea of talking to the press. One paid the most surpris rice of the sale at £1,023 for a ittle oak coffer with tw crudely carved florettes on the nelled sides and longsh legs; it was all rather ig spart and only 29in. wide, but presumably a gen at that price.

At the other end of the spectrum, Alan secured an Edwardian rush-seated chair. the back formed of two oak uprights and two cross bars, at f1.10. There were two hanging from nails by the door, and I got the second one at £3.30. The extra £2.

Alan and Jim were the twin he was prepared to bid against Hars on which the success of the. All the same, I got away with a very jolly openwork fish carved from a coconnt, heaven knows when, but not much after 1820, at £1 without a single counter bid. The serious money was

being paid for nineteenthcentury, and even Edwardian, farmiture in reasonably good condition. A set of four neavy Victorian leather chairs with: carved mahogany frames made £440, a flashy ebonized card table with bronze inlay £330 and a glazed walnu bookcase £550

The chairs turned out as cheap as or cheaper than I forecast last week. The two matching Edwardian rushseated oak chairs made £5.50 and Jim got the set of three mid-Victorian circle backed chairs at £72.60, rather than the £90 I predicted.

The well-proportioned de commode chair of the 1860s made £12, roughly as predicted. The con with the potty just put bidden off. altho off, although this example had, already lost its pierced seat. There is an exception to every rule, however. An oak-boxed shape comm with potty, ode, still complete found a baver at £72.60.

Other pieces mentioned in ny sale preview included the big elm settle which converts into a bed. It made £258.50. and a framed box of butterflies went for £88.

It was a professional sale with only about 20 or so bidders. Mr Steven Bruce, the auctioneer, got through 250 lots within 90 minutes. Five es out of the rostrum, he

It was a good day for .

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There were no dealers pre-. was organizing the collection pared to bid against Alan, but of goods for next week's sale. was organizing the collection

## Giacometti 'cat' table reaches record price

By Our Sale Room Correspondent

A brouze and glass sculp-tured "cat" table by Giacometti fetched a record \$77,000 (estimate \$40,000 to \$50,000), or £50,326, at a Christie's sale in New York on Saturday. supporting a plain glass top and bronze cats' heads at each

Lalique.

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glass clock, intaglio cut with a male and female nude relief, r £50,326, at a Christie's sale made \$52,800 (estimate a New York on Saturday. \$18,000 to \$25,000), or With a spindly bronzed £34,509 from a European frame with a green patina private collector, a record auction price for Lalique glass." Swiss private collector was the design of the turn of the

highest on record for Giaco- century again attracted high The same collector spent designed by Josef Hoffmann \$28,600 (estimate \$10,00 to and executed by Alfred Meyer prices. A silver table clock-

\$15,000 (estimate \$10,00 to and executed by Ainca resyst \$15,000), or £18,692, on a for the Wiener Werkstätte in: spherical purple glass vase about 1906, made \$60,500-with bronze handles formed as (estimate \$12,000 to \$16,000), stylized leaves, by René or £39,542, to an American collector.

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#### **ÓVERSEAS NEWS**

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**Turmoil in Central America** 

# Ortega offers to discuss peace with Washington

#### From John Carlin, Mana

with the US.

President Ortega of Nicara-gua has offered to hold talks withPresident Reagan to resolvewhat he called the "escalating conflict" between the Sandinistas and the US, which threatened "to set alight" the

its to have

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whole of Central America. "We'll talk at any moment with him, here in Managua or over there in Washington. We want a peaceful solution ... we want a dia-logue with the chief of the Contras." Contras."

President Ortega was speaking on Saturday, after Presi-dent Reagan had reiterated in Washington his intention of continuing the battle to secure military aid for the Contra rebels, who seek the overthrow of the Sandinistas.

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Mr Reagan has on previous occasions dismissed the no-tion of talking to the Sandinistas, whom he describes as "tyrants" bent on exporting Communism to the entire hemisphere.

The Nicaraguan President made his offer during ad lib remarks at a public meeting with hardcore Sandinista suphim in conflict with the whole of Latin America. He repeated that President Reagan's call for aid to the porters at a school in a poor neighbourhood of Managua.

Contras "puts us on the threshold of a Vietnamization of the conflict". He said President Reagan But the tone of the meeting suggested that both the Nica-raguan President and his audi-ence accepted that there was little chance of reconciliation would provide the Contras -whom he called terrorists and criminals - with military advisers, and predicted that when he found the Sandinista army still continued to resist, Senor Ortega accused President Reagan of lies, slander and threats against Nicaragua, to the apparent delight of a crowd of 500. he would send in "troops, belicopters and aircraft, President Reagan won't risk his own neck but we in the

As he spoke, President Orte-National Directorate will stand and fight. No one here ga was continually interrupted by chants of "Death to the will surrender". Señor Ortega did not limit his attack to President Rea-Yankee imperialists" and vows, long a part of the Sandinista litorgy, to fight to gan, weighing in against the entire US Congress – whether members voted for or against the death if American troops

Senor Ortega denounced Mr Reagan's "adventurism and aggression", saying his policy towards Nicaragua put Mr Reagan's request for Contra aid - for holding a debate on "the best method ... to



Contra aid supporters shouting across Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, as several hundred anti-aid demonstrators held a rival rally. The anti-support group had to be taken from the area in police vehicles, and several people were arrested.

# US jets ready to penetrate Gadaffi 'line of death'

area that includes the dispoted Gulf of Sirte, inside Colonel Gadaffi's so-called "line of death".

The Pentagon said the ac-tion could come at any time up to the evening of April 1, when to the evening of April 1, when new manoeuvres beginning last Saturday night are due to end. "Carrier flight operations will be condacted in the Tripo-li flight information region during that period," it stated. The aircraft carriers Ameri-ca, Saratoga and Coral Sea

will take part in the exercises, accompanied by an andis-closed number of other Sixth Fleet ships. The Pentagon

Pretoria ban on activist was detained while trying to leave Cairo airport for Saudi

attackers are linked to Abu Nidal, nom de guerre for the renegade Palestinian Sabry al-Banna, whose organization was blamed for December's twin attacks at airports in Rome and Vienna in which 19 people died.

From Christopher Thomas, Washington In an escalated war of refused to say whether any Libya and has drawn his "line nerves against Libya, United vessels would cross into the States Navy jets are planning gulf. Officially, the manoen-to fly off the Libyan coast in an vres are "routine". Mr John Poindexter, the Notional Security Adviser, said that if US warships The exercises began just two days after the Sixth Fleet ended 36 hours of manoeuvres eotered the disputed area it

off Libya. American officials deny that the US is trying to provoke Culonel Gadaffi into attack to justify a

waters by various conntries around the world." retaliation. Some Administration officials, however, have been quoted as saying that last Mr Caspar Weinberger, the Defence Secretary, said in a televisioo interview yesterday week's exercises were intended as bait, giving the US an that the ships were in interna excuse to destroy two new anti-aircraft sites io Libya if it tional waters. He refused to say whether they would cross the "line of death". attacks.

Washington considers most of the Gulf of Sirte to be seven times since 1981." he international territory. Colo- said, "so it would not be nel Gadaffi claims it is part of particularly significant."

unprecedented step over the

weekend of condemning Iraq

for violating the 1925 Geneva

Protocol banming chemical weapons (Zoriana Pysariwsky

#### **UN condemns Iraq for** chemical warfare ruled invalid

New York - Faced with war and a warning against irrefutable evidence that Iraqi Iranian designs on Kuwait. The Security Council's conforces resorted to chemical warfare to thwart Iran's latest offensive in the Gulf war, the cern over recent Iranian threats to attack Kuwait ab-UN Security Council took the

would not be in provocation.

We have a regular pro-

gramme where we challenge the illegal claims to territorial

"We have crossed that line

sorbed much of its attention and gave Tehran a very qualified diplomatic success over the chemical weapons issue. Although most political and military analysts agreed that

an Iranian amphibious or air But the Security Council's ly, since it would provoke Moscow (AP) - Six Soviet

fliers were killed when their

in secret by KGB Hamburg (AP) - Kremlin

Hamburg (AP) - Kremin sources have released a 15-minute colour film of Dr Andrei Sakharov, the Russian dissident, looking ohviously healthy, says the mass-circula-tion *Bild* newspaper. The film, made by hidden KGB cameras, shows Dr Sa-kharov visiting doctors and a kharov visiting doctors and a car mechanic, discussing dis-

filmed

armament with a KGB agent. and talking on the telephone to his wife. Mrs Yelena Bon-ner, in the United States.

The KGB made the film between December and early February, Bild said.

#### Flats collapse

Bombay (UPI) - Five peo-ple were killed and 19 injured when a 125-year-old five-storey block of flats collapsed after the demolition and re-building of a mosque near by.

# Lighting up Lyons (AFP) - A ware-

house with large stocks of Feu d'Or (Golden Fire) eigarette lighters hurned down in a suburb of Lyons.

#### Train smash

Tokyo (AFP) - More than 200 people were injured. 13 seriously, when an express hit a stationary train in heavy snow at Tanashi station in Tokyo's nonhern suburbs.

#### Serbs jailed

Belgrade (AP) - Two Scrbin men have been jailed for five years in the Bosnian town of Tuzia for spreading hostile propaganda and harming Yugoslavia s reputation.

#### Capa sale

Madrid (AP) - The Spanish National Library has paid a collector \$25,000 (£16,500) for 43 photographs of the Spanish Civil War by the Hungarianborn American photographer. Robert Capa.

#### **Ballot** delay

Kharioum (AP) - Sudan is to postpone polling in 37 southern constituencies in next month's general election because of fighting between government troops and rebels.

#### Unlucky day

Belgrade (Reuterl - A Yugoslav policeman was killed hy a passing lorry as he left a bar after celebrating his £40.000 lottery win.

### **Glacier** crash

President Reagan claimed yesterday that some oppo-nents of his plan to aid the Nicaragnan rebels had en-engaged in some of the most tives las gaged in "scurrilous attacks" on him and in outright falsehoods exceeding the bounds of

invaded.

fairness. In an interview published in The New York Times he displayed "rare" anger, the He seemen with emotion. Although he aimed at sending American

Agreement on

**Bhopal** gas

leak damages

New York (AFP) - The US chemical giant, Union Car-bide, has agreed in principle to pay \$350 million (£23.3 mil-lion) in compensation to vic-

scurrilous personal attacks against me; for example, the most dishonest use of distor-tions and ourright falschoods that I have heard in a legisla-He seemed to be referring to paper said, as his voice shook suggestions that his policy was

**Reagan fury at 'scurrilous' attacks** 

From Christopher Thomas, Washington

was not specific, it seemed to be directed mostly at Mr Mr Reagan kept up the antibe directed mostly at Mr Mr Reagan kept up the anti-Thomas "Tip" O'Neill, Sandinista rhetoric in his Speaker of the Democrat- weekly radio address on Saturweekly radio address on Satur-

"I am not imputing the "freedom fighters" would be The House of Representatives last week rejected his plan to give \$70 million (£45

million) in military aid and \$30 million in non-lethal supplies. The Republican-controlled

tary aid for 90 days to allow negotiations for a political solution to start. If, as is likely, the plan

controlled House of day, saying further delay in unlikely that it will be accept-Representatives. giving military aid to the able to the House as it stands.

# **EEC** faces farm price challenge by Chirac

## From Richard Owen, Brussels

In the wake of the French Guillaume, the outspoken elections, the EEC today faces head of the French farmers' its own version of union and a vociferous propo-"cohabitation", the phrase nent of French farming inter-used for the modus rivendr ests. EEC farm experts say between Bresident Mitterrand there are bound to be head on tims of the toxic ges leak in between President Mitterrand there are bound to be head on Bhopal, India, which caused and M Jacques Chirac, his clashes between M Guillaume the death of more than 2,000 | new Prime Minister. and other agriculture minis-

the death of more man away France's European partners lers, including with instance with the work Times reported bave to find their own accom- Jopling of Britain, who favour modation with the Chirac reform of the EEC farm

employees, but the authorities admit little progress. Security officials said yes-terday that people fitting de-

Senate is to vote this week on a compromise plan delaying delivery of most of the mili-

passes the Senate, it looks

scriptions given by witnesses had been detained for questioning at Cairo airport and in Alexandria, Suez City and Port Said. So far no one has been formally accused of the attack, in which the wife of an

Israeli diplomat was killed and three other embassy employees wounded.

Officials declined to say how many people had been questioned, but the group is said to include a Syrian who

Cairo hunt

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tion with last Wednesday's

attack on Israeli Embassy

Arabia. Israeli authorities have quoted Egyptian officials as saying that they suspect the Johannesburg - A prominent black activist jubilantly tore up a five-year banning order served on March 11 after a judge declared it invalid (Ray Kennedy writes). Mr Justice van Rensburg, of the Port Elizabeth Supreme Court, made the ruling at a hearing on Saturday after Mr

A group called Egypt's Rev-olution admitted responsibil-ity for Wednesday's attack in a Louis Le Grange, Minister of Law and Order, said he would not oppose the application by

## discover gunmen From a Correspondent Cairo Egypt has detained a large number of suspects in connec-

spokesman

Sources who wished to remain anonymous told the newspaper that compensation would cover all the victims of the leak, whether or not they had taken legal action against the company.

The paper said that a Union Carbide spokesman, Mr Earl Slack, had confirmed that an agreement in principle had been reached. The final decision on compensation is to be fixed by a New York judge, Mr John Keenan, the paper said. Chirac Cabinet is M François

modation with the Chirac Government, which is likely. to hold strong views oo the EEC, not least on farm prices

and agricultural reform. EEC agriculture ministers meet today under the chairwas leading farmers' demonstrations outside the same Council of Ministers' huilding in which he will now be meeting EEC farm ministers manship of Mr Gerrit Braks, the Dutch farm minister, to tackle the long-delayed issue as a colleague. of farm prices for the coming

farm prices.

There is anxiety in Brussels that the administration of M Chirac, himself a staunch supporter of French farmers year. The farm price question, with several other issues, was shelved during the French election campaign. In an ironic twist, the new when he was Agriculture Min-ister, will find itself at odds Agriculture Minister in the with other EEC governments

over farm spending.

subsidy system and the cut in

Until recently M Guillaume

letter a western new agency. The group admitted attacks on Israeli diplomats here in 1984 and 1985 in

was killed and three embassy employees were wounded. The lack of substantial progress in the investigation has again focused attention on Egypt's security services. which were discredited hy last month's police riots in Cairo. Wednesday's attack was doubly embarrassing for Pres-ident Mubarak because it came as Egypt and Israel are seeking to improve relations. An Israeli delegation was in Cairo for talks on the Taba border dispute, and Israel's Tourism Minister, Mr Avraham Sharir, was in town to promote tourism.

· Peace deadlock: After nearly

three hours of talks yesterday with the Palestine Liberation Organization's chairman, Mr

Yassir Arafat, it was apparent that President Mubarak has made little progress in reviv-ing the stalled Middle East

peace process or reconciling Jordan and the PLO. Mr Arafat emerged from the meeting to say that the peace

process was on "a hlocked road" and that it was up to the Reagan Administration to break the deadlock. Mr Arafat's pessimistic assess-

ment echoed remarks made

here on Thursday by King Husain that his year-long effort to bring the PLO into the peace process was at a dead end.

Mr Arafat said that he agreed with King Husain, adding: "I share with King Husain what he said about the

blocked road being caused by American intransigence."

Mr Arafat, however, made no mention of the king's statement in a speech last month that the PLO leader-

ship had gone back on certain

commitments, among them to accept openly UN Security

Council Resolution 242.

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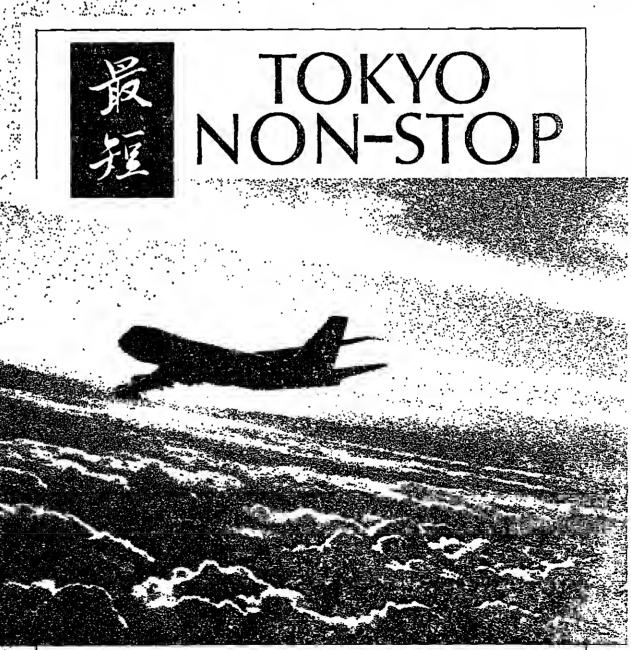
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twin-engine transport plane ran out of fuel and crashed on a glacier in Antarctica last month. Izvestia reported.



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Pope trial enters final stage

#### From Peter Nichols Rome

The court hearing the case against seven men charged

against seven men charged with having conspired to mur-der the Pope will today begin considering its verdict. The judges are expected to complete their work by Easter. Nevertheless, both the pros-ecution and defence agree that the full could have not emerged the full truth has not emerged during the nine-month trial. The public prosecutor, in fact, did not take advantage on Saturday of his right to make a final plea. He had already told the court the sentences he hoped to see imposed: heavy terms of imprisonment for three of the four Turkish defendants and an acquittal, on the ground of lack of evidence, for the three Bulgerings

Bulgarians. The fourth Turk, Mehmel Ali Agra, who fired at the Pope in May, 1981. is already serving a life sentence.

Agea, who was in court mainly as the prosecution's principal witness, dominated the whole trial. It was he who, in a series of confessions, said his attempt on the Pope's life had been organized by the Bulgarian Secret Service and the Turkish Grey Wolves, a terrorist organization.



Mehmet Ali Agea in defiant mood at the weekend. He told the court: 'My trath is not absolute.'

But on the first day of the total fiction. On the last day of trial, he embarrassed the pros-ecution by claiming to be Jesus Christ. His subsequent statements in court have been a mixture of apparent fact and decision."

the trial, he told the judges. "I am here to say that my truth is not absolute, and it will be for the court to take a wise exist

# Spielberg may be the biggest winner

#### From Ivor Davis, Los Angeles

Although Steven Spielberg is not a contender for best director at tonight's 58th annual Academy Award ceremony, he is likely to emerge as the higgest winner.

His controversial but successful picture The Colour Purple has been nominated for 11 awards, including best picture and best actress for its new star Whoopi Goldberg.

But much to Hollywood's surgrise, Spielberg was not on the best director list. He has

already won the Directors" Guild sward and will be in the andience tonight when the prizes are handed out. He politely declined the academy's invitation to be a presenter.

The main challenge to The Colour Purple comes from Sydney Pollack's intriguing picture Out of Africa, based on the work of the Danish author Isak Dinesen, which has also been nominated for 11 awards, including best picture, best

actress. director, best actress - Meryl

Streep - and best supporting eight nominations, including actor - Klaus Maria best actor for Harrison Ford regarded as an outsider.

Brandauer. The winners are more difficult than usual to predict. Firm favourite for best director is eight nominations, including Jack Nicholson for best actor Oscar.

and Huston's daughter, Angelica, for best supporting Huston's main rival is the

In Hollywood this year the main film studios have spent about \$4 million (£2.7 million) John Huston, whose black to promote their films among comedy Prizzi's Honour has the academy's voting members the academy's voting members in the hope of picking up an

Marketing specialists say the outlay is well spent because a film that wins one can be released again to earn \$10 Australian director Peter million to \$15 million more at Weir, whose film Witness has the box office.

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# **New French Cabinet meets** Chirac plans early vote of confidence to test **Government's support**

#### From Diana Geddes, Paris

M Jacques Chirac, the French Prime Minister, has decided to test support for his new right-wing Government hy calling for a vote of confidence immediately after Parliament reassembles on April 2.

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Although the traditional right-wing parties have an absolute majority of only three seats in the new assembly, M Chirac should not have too much of a problem in winning such a vote, which is not actually required of a new government under the consutution.

Even if some of M Raymond Barre's supporters carry out their earlier threat not to support a vote of confidence in a "government of cohabitation", the extreme-right National Front will probably decide to abstain rather than vote against the Government, leaving the Communists and Socialisis with insufficient votes between them to defeat the motion. M Chirac announced his decision to call for a vote of

confidence at the first meeting of the new Cahinet held at the Elysée Palace, with President Mitterrand in the chair, on Saturday. The discussions were brief hut scrupulously polite. No attempt was made to broach specific proposals for new legislation. That will

probably be dealt with at the The main reason for that next Cabinet meeting, set low vote was the abysmal showing of the Communists in forWednesday.

the election. With less than 10 M Mitterrand reminded the per cent of the vote, their new ministers of the rules governing Cabinet meetings lowest score for more than 50 years, some tough questions and the functioning of the Government. M Chirac outon the future direction of the party and its leadership will be lined his Government's priorput at today's meeting of the ities on employment and law Central Committee. and order, and emphasized his The rumblings of bitter desire to work in a spirit of discontent and expressions of "tolerance, openness and rassemblement". fear that the party is now on

the verge of extinction can Meanwhile, the Socialists began at the weekend to already be heard throughout the country examine the implications of M Pierre Juquin, one of the leading renovateurs, who had been keeping his head down

finding themselves out of power yet with their own leader still President. M Liosince the failure of the reform ncl Jospin, the party's First movement at the last party Secretary, insisted that the congress a year ago, has started calling again for a "cultural revolution" within Socialists were now "a party of opposition". They may find it difficult, however, to attack the party. legislation and decrees signed by M Mitterrand.

More than 150 Communist intellectuals have signed a public declaration saying that While many of the party delegates were still riding high on what some described as the they "cannot watch without reacting this veritable liquida-tion of the party. No, we do not have time before us... "euphoria of failure", after winning one of their highest electoral scores this century, We cannot allow our leaders others - such as M Pierre Mauroy, the former Prime to continue to impose on our Minister - pointed out that party policies a way of speakthe total score of the left (44 ing and a mode of functioning per cent) was their worst since which is leading it inexorably 1962, and that the prepara- to its destruction. That is why tions for the presidential elec- we are demanding the urgent tions would necessarily be convocation of an extraordi-very difficult for the Socialists. nary congress....

From Christopher Thomas Washington The World Jewish Congress claims to have found a document listing Dr Kurt Wald heim, former Secretary General of the United Nations, as a suspected Nazi war criminal wanted by Yugoslavia for complicity in murder. It said the 1948 US Army document was uncovered last week in Washington's public archives. It came from Crowcas, the Army's combined registry of war criminals and security suspects, and listed Dr Waldheim as suspect

Jews say

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No.79-724. The congress, which has been waging a campaign to prove that Dr Waldheim had links with the Nazis, did not say what crimes he was sus-pected of having committed it said, however, there should be a file on him in the 40,000 case records of the now de-funct UN War Crimes Commission.

Dr Waldheim, a leading candidate in the Austrian presidential elections set for May 5, has been accused of belonging to two Nazi groups, including Hitler's SA, or Brownshirts, and of having served under a German general later hanged for war crimes in Yugoslavia.

• VIENNA: The new allenations were dismissed by Dr Waldheim's office as another attempt ... to publicly discredit Dr Waldheim and pursue a campaign of calumny" (Richard Bassett 1971. writes)



A bronze statue of President Truman lies on the ground yesterday after being blown from its base in an explosion in Athen

## Truman statue blown up in Athens firm commitment from Mr

From Mario Modiano Athens

A statue of President Traaan in central Athens was blown off its pedestal and damaged by a powerful explo-sion at midnight on Saturday in what appeared to be a protest against tomorrow's arrival here of Mr George Shultz, the: American Secre-

tary of State, for talks with Greek leaders. . . . . . The 10ft bronze statue has symbolized for the Greek left its defeat in the civil war, largely as a result of military aid from the United States under Tramas in 1947. The statue was the target of two bomb attacks in 1970 and

Last week a bomb placed by left-wing extremists blew off a garage door at the Hellenic-American Union. A second device was defined. Responsibility was admitted by Revolutionary Popular Stroggie, a Marxist group specializing in anti-American attacks in the past ten years.

Scores of left-wing and com-munist organizations in Athens are mobilizing their followers for an anti-American rally in Constitution Square on esday to demand the immediate removal of American bases from Greece, while Mr Shultz will be having crucial talks with the Greek Government on the

Under the existing US-Greek spreen pires at the end of 1988, the Americans can operate their bases until mid-1990, but Mr Shultz makes no secret of his need to know if he can count on the bases well into the next decade so that Washington may spend large sums of money modernizing them.

The Greek left is alarmed by indications that Athens's increasing economic difficulties may force Mr Andreas Panpandreon, the Prime Min-ister, to give in to Mr Shultz and so break his pledge to rid Greece of the bases by the end

• ISTANBUL: Mr Shultz was boating on the Besporus yesterday, continuing a four-day official visit to Turkey

Papandreon. Mr Shuitz's visit to Athen

follows that by Sir Geoffrey

Howe, the Foreign Secretary, who arrived in Belgrade yes-

Although Sir Geoffrey ma

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Greek leaders to seek a recon

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General's latest initiative for

Cyprus settlement, Mr Shaltz

is expected to take up the san

terday for a two-day visit.

of the decade. Mr Shultz is expected to use economic inducements rather day official vi than an ultimatum to get a (AFP reports).

# **Moscow congress** a tough act for **Prague to follow**

#### By Roger Boyes, East Europe Correspondent

The Czechoslovak Commu- . giving factories more autonnist Party leadership, having omy, making them more fi-watched nervously as Mr nancially accountable, Mikhail Gorbachov ratiled a tightening credit rules to en-few skeletons in Moscow, conrage exports and today embarks on its own production. policy-setting congress.

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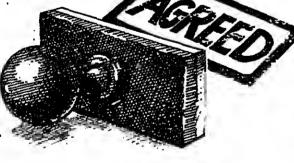
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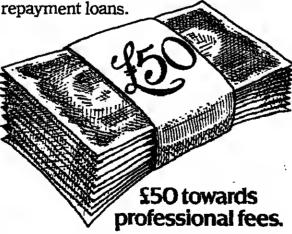
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Prague leaders, who have

changes since the Warsaw Pact invasion of 1968.

political expectations. They believe this was the main son of the Prague Spring of Mr Alexander Dubcek. But the party congress in Moscow last month has dis-turbed the men in Prague, who would have prefetred an or-derly session, rather like the Husak .:

board meeting of an old-established publishing house.

Some of the Moscow congress discussions cannot really be transferred to Prague with out questioning the legitimacy of the leadership. > The criticism of Leonid

Brezimev, for example, sits uncasily with a Politburo that essentially was installed by the late Soviet leader and which owes as existence to the axiom a more critical relationship known as the Brezhnev Doctrine. Nor is it easy for the Husak leadership to allow the abrasive criticism of party

privilege and party practice heard in Moscow.

There were at least some encouraging signals from Moscow. The Husak team may not be full of youthful reformers, but it sees parallels between its own plans for "intensifying" the economy and some of Mr Gorbachov's proposals. Intensification,

ather than market reforms, • streamlining central man-agement and planning

## Halley's comet nine miles long

Munich (AP) - Photo-graphs of Halley's Comet taken earlier this month by the European spacecraft Giotto show its core is 15 kilometers (9.3 miles) in length, twice as long as had been believed, a report from the Max-Planck Institute said.

The photographs also show that the cornet's core is "one of the darkest bodies in our solar system," Herr Horst Uwe Keller, project director for the camera that was mounted on Giotto, was quoted as saying. "Because it is so large, its surface's capacity to reflect must be very small, comparable with charcoal," be said. The 10-page document from the institute's headquarters in West Germany described preliminary results from the photographs taken on March 13-14 as Giotto penetrated to within 335 miles of the comet's nucleus.

of the comet's nucleus. The German Space Re-search Agency has begun an extensive analysis of pictures and data from Giotto. The analysis is expected to last until the end of 1987.

This approach appears to have gained the blessing of Mr Gorbachov during talks in Moscow last year with Mr

In any case, the message from the Soviet congress was that Moscow is not interested. yet in imposing models on anybody: the catchword is unity in differentiation".

However, the Soviet congress does mean that the party in Czechoslovakia will have to grasp the neutle of "openness". Even the limited economic changes being proposed mean some form of political candour, more debate of issues in the official press, a greater willingness to admit mistakes. between the Communist Party and the Government.

Rumours persist that Mr Husak is preparing to step down as party leader but to retain the presidency. But at this congress, at least, he will be needed to integrate the various factions.

In any case, it would be a bad precedent for a party leader to resign at a congress rather than at a closed session the Central Committee. Such a move would make the party leadership look demo-cratically accountable to the communist rank and file.

**Priceless** Polish relic stolen From Roger Boyes

Warsaw The Government offered a large cash reward to help track down grave robbers who plun-dered one of Poland's holiest shrines and escaped with a priceless booty of church

The burglars broke into Gaiezne Cathedral last week, finding their way to the silver sarcophagas containing the relics of St Adalbert, known as St Wojciech, the patron saint of Poland

They ripped away the lifesize figure of the saint from the coffin and three silver angels from its corners. They broke off the wings of six silver eagles, Poland's national em-blem, and a silver plate depicting scenes from the saint's life. The stolen silver weighed about 351b, but ifs value annot be calculated.

Culture Minister, announced a reward of haif a million zlotys (about £2,500) — more than twice the average amagal salary for a Pole - to anyone who can provide a vital cine.

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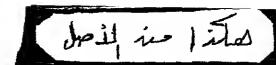
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From Ahmed Fazi Dhaka



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OVERSEAS NEWS

# Violence in Punjab grows worse as Hindus fight back

Mr Rajiv Gandhi, the Prime Minister, yesterday re-brother of Sant Jarnail Singh turned to Delhi after touring the drought-stricken western state of Gujarat to face the problem bedevilling his ad-ministration – violence in Paniab. Mr Baba Joginder Singh and hindranwale, the terrorist martyr. Mr Jagin Singh was an incident described various-was leaving Gujarat. He said it was up to the state govern-ment to take more steps to

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In the past few days, the spiral of violence between Sikhs and Hindus has taken a

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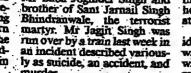
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724.184 A.  Sikhs and Hindus has taken a more victors twist the Hin-dus have begun fighting back through such organizations as the Hindu Suruksha Samiti and the Shiv Sena. As the Hindus predominate in the industrial towns, the result has been a series of geoeral strikes, neighbourbood clashes and, finally, police-enforced cur-fews in several of the chief population centres.

population centres. Last week there were long curfews in Jullundar and

In Muktsar, the curfew was 37. imposed when federation imposed when federation There are voices in Delhi Sikhs yesterday lifted the week-long blockade of Batala, the so-called United Akali Punjab policy has plainly Dal, the extremist Sikh politi-failed and he should dismiss writes). They were trying to enforce a ly this will happen as it is protest about the death of Mr difficult to see how far the Jagjit Singh Rode, the son of central authorities can go to moth after 15 years.



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Surjit Singh Barnala: administration inept.

There are voices in Defhi

ment to take more steps to maintain peace. "The Punjab Government got a clear mandate from the people that they are against violence."

Mr Surjit Singh appears to be a weak Chief Minister because his main concern after his election was a search for reconciliation. Accordingly, he released many extremists detained under the National Security Act, paid compensa-tion to Sikh soldiers dismissed for mutiny, and gave little attention to the law and order breakdown.

But Mr Surjit Singh's honesty and integrity are respected in Delhi, and provided he will move with some firmness now it seems likely be will be given all the help he needs.

Last were there were long administration inegt. Curfews in Jullundur and image of a Jeep carrying Mr Batala and the smaller towns Baba. Joginder Singh, and of Nakodar, and Mukisar. Sarroimded by sword-wielding Enthusiasts of the All-India demoostrators, chargiog Sikh Students Federation through a police blockade of Batala where looting Him-and cattle fodder deliveries. In Mukisar, the curfew was 37 There has been one item of There has been one trem of more encouraging news for the embattled Chief Minister. The call for a general strike to protest at deaths in police firing during the mass picket of the assembly was only parily successful By and large, the records of Bunish shourd

• CHANDIGARH: Militant Sikhs yesterday lifted the week-long blockade of Batala, for parliamentary elections, May 7, amid a nationwide general strike called by opposition parties which paralysed Dhaka for 12 hours. General Ershad also abol-ished all military courts and withdrew zonal, sub-zonal and district martial law adminis-trators as part of new concessions to the Opposition. An election commission spokesman said that namina-tions for elections in the 300-

seat Parliament could be filed up to April 6. The elections had earlier been set for April

Life virtually stopped in Dhaka as poblic transport was halted, river services were disrupted and shops closed in a day-long general strike called as part of the Opposition's

electioo-resistaoce Movement. At least 20 people, including

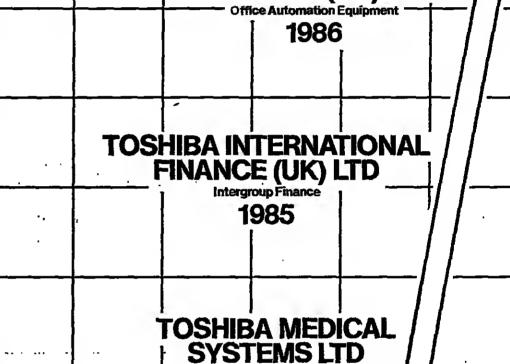
several policemen, were injured when a crowd attacked a police station outside the Dhaka university campus, throwing crackers and other missiles

Police borst tear-gas shells and fired into the air to disperse stone-throwing mobs. The new electioo date was announced less than 12 hours after a leading opposition group, Sheikh Hasina Wazed's

15-party alliance, as well as the fundamentalist Jamaat-i-Islami decided to withdraw their earlier boycott and take part in the polls supervised

under martial law. Officials said the date was changed to let political parties prepare for the polls, but they insisted the four-year martial law would not be withdrawn before the elections.

# President Ershad of Bangia-desh announced a new date P **TOSHIBA INFORMATION** SYSTEMS (UK) LTD 1986



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Amritsar events leave a bitter echo

Sikh violence angers Canada

From John Best, Toronto

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ther, they purport to see the British Columbia last Novemlong arm of the Indian Government at work in the poisoning

Sikh leaders contend that there are well over 200,000 Sikhs in this country, but the Canadian Office of Malti-, culturalism places the number at between 75,000 and 80,000. The discrepancy is explained at least in part by the fact that many Sikhs do not identify themselves as such to the

census enumerator.) The feeling was summed up well by a Toronto resident who said: "We should put them all on a boat and send them back Sikk extremism both on social bermony within Canada and to India."

The most devastating in a series of transmatic happenings affecting the community was on June 23 last year, when Air India Flight 182, from Mon-treal to Bomhay via London, plunged into the Atlantic off Ireland with the loss of all 329 people on board.

On the same day, at almost at the same hour, two baggage handlers were killed at Narita Airport, Tokyo, by a bomb



in Caligon. The Winnipeg Free Press praised as "proper and appropriate" Canada's offer last December to step up cober on explosives charges. The cases are up for trial today in Dancan on Vancouver Island, and will be closely whiched for any light they might shed ou the events of June 23. operation hetween Canadian and Indian intelligence services, a move clearly aimed at Sikh militants. Rightly or wrongly, the word Sikh to many Canadians now suggests violence. "Every time the word Sikh is mentioned it's barmony :within .Canada and

on relations with India. This was reflected in a speech by the Foreign Minis-ter, Mr Joe Clark, on a visit to Delhi last autumn, "Canada with the premise that we are bombers of Air India and killers of 329 people," said Mr Gurcharan Singh, secretary in Ottawa of the Federation of and Canadians will not tolerate ... those who advocate or Othiva of the Federation practise violence," he said, in a Sikh Societies of Canada. clear reference to Sikh extrem. ists. "The line must be firmly drawn when peaceful dissent becomes violent contront. drawn when peaceful dissent becomes violent confront-India, is in short supply. Perhaps that is natural in a "stien."

do so," The Toronto Globe and Mail commented: "It is a cruel irony that those Camadian Sikhs who protested most vehemently in defence of their kin in India have, by their offensive behaviour, hurt the reputation of their community in Canada." minority, here have created antagonisms against the wider Sikh community In the aftermath of the Indian Army raid on the Golden Temple in Amritsar,

there was an outburst of anti-Indian demonstrations by Sikhs living in Canada. In one of these, the Indian High Commissioner was pelted with eggs in Winnipeg. After Mrs Gandhi's assassination, mili-tant Sikhs danced in Toronto

streets Beatings, bombings and at-tempted bombings, especially in and around Vancouver, illustrate the deepening divi-

sions in the Sikh community resulting from recent events in India. Some Sikh leaders fear that

the in-fighting will have the effect of dooming the community to a perpetual tringe role in Canadian society, accentaating the subtle barriers to integration already created by accoutrements such as tur-bans, black beards and, in some cases, swords,

Tomorrow: Deportations

#### Aquino upset by death toll Spanish travel of 290 in rebel clashes risk eases From Keith Dalton Manila

## From Richard Wigg Madrid

The threat of widespread disruption to Easter holidays in Spaio has receded with air and rail unions dropping strike plans.

A stoppage at airports to-day, planned as part of selec-tive industrial action during last month. Holy Week was abandoned by the ground staff of Iberia, the state airline, on Saturday after they accepted an 8 per. cent pay rise.

But on Renfe, the state railways the position was not so good even though ithas -already announced that trains were soldiers, militiamen and police and 69 were rebels. The will be running today.

unions, one controlled by the Socialists and the other by the Communists have discussed in an Communists, have disagreed. The pro-Socialist workers Addressing graduates of the military academy in the northsigned a new wages and pro-ductivity agreement on Satur-day but the Communist-led unioo was yesterday still debating whether to go ahead with the strike it is estimated that one ihrow of former President with the strike.

million holiday-makers will Marcos on February 25. be arriving at Costa del Sol "You waged war against resorts during the next few Marcos because he was the days Malaga Airport is due to embodiment of the worst days. Malaga Airport is due to receive almost 900 incoming flights. With an estimated 70 per cent of hotel beds already occupied, the tourist trade is forming the same reason. We had a common stand and an overoccupied, the tourist trade is common stand and an over-forecasting a record Easter. I riding purpose; the end of battle 23 people died.

President Aquino's hopes that communist rebels in the Philippines would lay down Marcos, was replaced as chairman and chief executive of San Mignel Corporation, the company announced on Saturday (UPI reports from Marila their arms were disappointed yesterday by reports that 290 people have died in 172 rebel clashes since she took power

Manila). Mr Andres Soriano, aged 35, grandson of the founder of the huge beer-based company, will replace him while keeping Another 130 people were. wounded and 22 abductedby the New People's: Army (NPA), "genoring government overtures for a ceasefire and reconcilatioo", the Philip-pioes oews agency said, quot-ing military figures. Two hundred of the dead his position as president.

tyranny and shame and the beginning of hope and pride. Now that the evil has fled, there should be no more reason to continue fighting.

Our differences can be settled through peaceful processes." Mrs Aquino, the country's first woman Commander-in-Chief, indicated she would soon announce a ceasefire and a programme to integrate the rebels into society. A de facto ceasefire over the

election period and during the revolution that followed does oot seem to be holding. Sepa-rate ceasefires initiated by regional military commanders io central Luzon, north of Manila, and central Minda-

nao, the island hardest hit by the insurgency, have been called off. Some attacks have involved

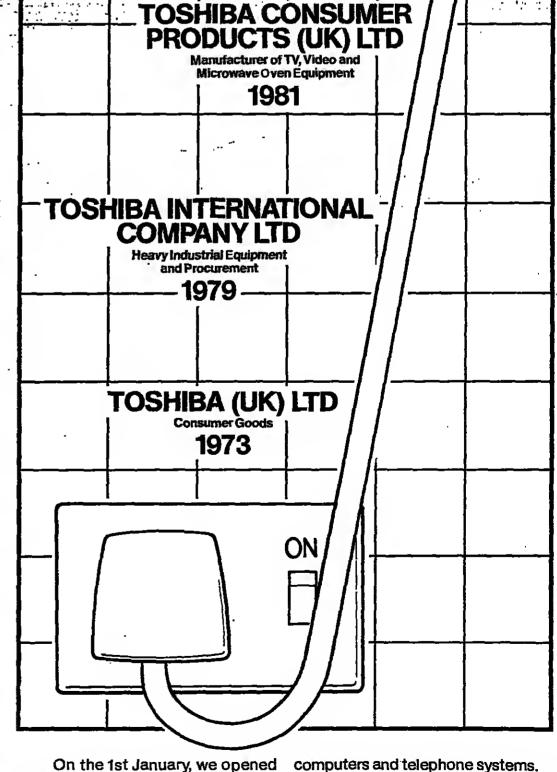
With the continuing esca-Min the continuing esca-estranged consin of President Aquino, who fied the Philip-pines with former President choice but to face them gents agaiost military detachmeots, we have no choice but to face them squarely," Brigadier-General Lorenzo Mateo said last week when he ordered his provincial commanders in central Luzoo to resume "search and destroy" operations.

His action came a day after the armed forces chief, Gener-al Fidel Ramos, reminded all commanders that no ceasefire had yet been called, and said he would not condone any "unilateral ceasefire" by regional or provincial commanders. Despite the release of more

than 500 political prisoners and her talks with Communist leaders, Mrs Aquino has hedged on her campaign pledge to call a six-month ceasefire leading to peace negotiations, perhaps because the rebel response has not been encouraging.

So far the Communist Party Central Committee has oot issued a firm policy stand on her peace offer.

"It is still too early to claim with any assurance how many of those in the hills will beed our call and return to us," she admitted in her address to the 174 graduates. "Those who do not will face a reformed and reinvigorated fighting force."



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# THE ARTS

# Television Emblem of loss

Perhaps not since the days of Black Beanty bas a horse been so thoroughly fictionalized, so it came as no surprise that Bill Morrison's Shergar (BBC2) was described as "n drama based on the events surrounding" the kidnapping of the famous animal. Of course it is difficult to make that particular horse interesting per se and a modern Gradgrind could only define it as "Qundruped. Forty teeth. Makes a

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bot of money. Commodity." So the basic plot was a simple one: a member of the IRA, desperate to regain his dwindling power in that organization, decides npon the kidnap in order to raise money. At the very end we heard the recorded voice of the netual man, hut this was not the only touch of realism in a play which gave a most convincing account of a squalid business. It seems to have ended only in one dead horse. The style of the piece was of

that low key, bitter, slightly edgy kind which characterizes scenes from Northern Ireland. and it was precisely here that the horse came into its own: it was seen both as a symbol of was seen oorn as a symbol of national identity ("Irishmen have been racing borses for over 2,000 years", as one of the characters puts it) and as an emblem of lost national pride; the owner of the horse, the Aga Khan, was characterized as an "absentee landlord". To steal Shergar. then, became an nct of emhlematic vengeance. That is the theory at least, and of course it is one that puts the IRA in the kindest possible light - 2lthough Stepben Rea, 25 the increasingly desperate kid-napper, did convey an unmis-takable air of seediness. As a drama, then, it had the

merit of simplicity - this may have made the occasional didactic passages a little tiring. but it did mean that those scenes closer to a conventional "thriller" were bighly effective. The scenes with the horse were good, also: he was such a good actor, in fact, that it was quite impossible to distinguish him from the real thing. Peter Ackroyd

Wharton as the world usually sees him, and as he sees himself The reclusive William Wharton, author of Birdy but painter by preference, has a new novel out this week: interview - and a rare one - by Nicholas Shakespeare

# Indelible variations

advanced class.

the image and look for words."

Most of what he sees, before he

blends it into fantasy, is personal

memory. "As the teacher said at

He points to a brown cahinet. Its

drawers bear the titles of his novels,

titles which have been there 20 years.

This means that after Pride come Tidings. Say Uncle and Franky

Forbo. Each title a different aspect of

the same life, each the triumph of

Though he is American, from

Philadelphia, Wharton's story begins

method over madness.

school, write about what you know."

James 11 and his son, the Old Pretender, fled to the cobbled Paris suburb of St Germain-en-Laye. So did the Impressionists. And so in their footsteps has come a gregarious recluse known to the locals as "a crackpot American painter who has never written more than his name" and to the rest of us as the novelist William Wharton.

When at the age of 53 be published his first novel, Birdy, the paperback rights were sold for \$500,000 and the book was made into a film. Stepben Spielberg is currently negotiating for his novel Dad. Robert Altman is hooing to persuade Marlon Brando to play the lead part in Scumbler -about an artist living in Paris - and Robert Redford has shown interest in playing two parts in Wharton's latest novel Pride, Published this week, Pride is one more indelible variation on the theme of Wharton's childhood.

Wharton divides his identity and time between the Paris studio where he paints, under his own jealously protected name, and the houseboat where he writes, transferring his fiction from index cards to tape to a word-processor. Fewer than a handful of people know the artist as the writer. His houseboat, once an Arctic explorer's love-nest is reached by a gangplank which he winches up when working. Downstairs, under a cage of canaries, is his study, crammed with tapes of him reading aloud and hung

in France, the home of his ancestors, with his proudest creations of all -where as a young soldier he was wounded in the Second World War. Impressionist in style and content, American in colour. Around the In Paris his teeth were built up with wooden cabin are several clocks. gold and a metal plate was inserted in his jaw. "I remember thinking how beautiful Paris was. I said I would buy Their chimes every 15 minutes prompt him to stop and breathe. Sometimes for inspiration he ambles over to an exercise bicycle. "I do my my life back and come and live here. My idea was to get lost, to be alone. I re-writing there", be chuckles, widen-ing bis blue, animated eyes. "Watchdidn't like bumans at all." Aged 19 and vested with the ing Jane Fonda saying "Up and Press

authority of captain, he had been put and Squeeze'. Whenever I'm stuck I in charge of a unit filled with "Southern crackers". Some of these get out Jane and we do our thing together." Rubbing a neat tangle of beard, he boasts he has made it to her men captured a German squad and massacred 10 of them, "shooting them in the side of the bead just to see Reciting into a microphone, Whartheir eyes pop out. Technically it was ton does not often get stuck. "One of the reasons I don't want to live the life my fault. I felt morally it was my fault." He returned to America, of a writer is I don't want writers' problems. Not thinking of myself as a remembering a trench talk with his greatest friend. "We agreed you had writer gives me the freedom to be one. I'm not a wordsmith. I just to be in control of your own life and people's access to you. When he died I took a personal vow to following basically look into my head and see

He became a painter "because it was something I could do by myself". He started writing because of his nightmares. Working as a nightwatchman in a five-cent variety store he would wake up in the back room, sweaty with guilt. "I wrote out my dreams and in the morning flushed them down the loo."

Unable to live off painting, he taught art, married the girl next door in Los Angeles, and went to live above a canyon in tomcat country. "The prime reason I left America was

ing. As more titles are made available in paperback, the television. When we got pregnant average sale per title is lower bought a used set. Then one day I than a decade ago. In the USA, threw it down the cliff into Tapanga paperback sales are plummet-Canyon, where my goats are it. It was ing: during the first seven an intrusion."

months of last year sales were This fear of intrusion explains his 50 million lower than in the refusal to be known or photographed. "America chews up its creative talent. same period during the previous year. Hardbacks likely to People give np their lives for the artificial creations on television. I be susceptible to aggressive promotion and marketing are, want to go on working and living a regular life" - the life he has led since returning to Paris in 1960, when he in the most professional houses, receiving the full treatment, and accordingly selling scraped his living in oils and told his children stories while his wife tanght well. If someone is inclined to at a kindergarten.

fork out £2.50 for a book a When Birdy was published, about a year after it is published, he or wounded American soldier who thinks he is a canary, his publisher she is nearly as likely to spend a tenner - books in compariclapped him on the shoulder and said his life as a painter was over. Wharton told him he was wrong. "I son with other forms of entertainment are still cheap, notwithstanding shoddy bindwill always be a painter who writes. ings, inadequate proof-read-As long as I am you're going to make money out of me." When he heard ing, dull printing on horrible paper - to buy the book when about the paperback rights, his first thought was be need never sell another painting. His second was to first it comes out. ing the mass-market paper-back. First, there is the buy back as many as he could. His third was to buy a château to house information becoming availthem. He fingers the spectacles on the able as the result of the cord around his neck. "I still don't establishment of Public Lendknow why I went public. It hasn't ing Right. Hardback novelists changed one thing. Except", he adds sanely, "the enjoyment of being read is probably not compensation enough Callison are avidly borrowed for the invasion". .

· Pride is published on Thursday by runs may land up on library Jonathan Cape (£9.95). shelves - but they rarely get

# Publishing Paperback plunge

into paperback, and when they

his first Penguins in 1935 at 6d do sales are modest. Then there is that relative each, new hardback novels newcomer, known as the trade were 7s 6d and non-fiction paperback, in format and between 12s 6d and 18s. At price somewhere between hardback and mass-market first, Penguins sold in Woolworth's and on station bookpaperback. It tends to be used for upmarket, literary titles stalls. Most booksellers were unlikely to command masspetrified of what these cheap reprints might do to the sale of market sales. Grafton has just hardbacks. Publishers too. But announced that Paladin, prethe tide could not be halted, viously a non-fiction imprint, and by the outhreak of war will so into fiction; Picador Penguins were selling every-(Pan) and Black Swan (Corgi) where - newsagents, tobacco-nists, chainstores, department already do. Trade paperbacks are often published simulta-neously with hardbacks, to stores, even slot machines and cash in on reviews. certainly bookshops. Today most popular paper-back fiction retails at £2.50 or

more, and hardback novels

are mostly £10 less 5p. Thus

the differential between new titles and reprints is approxi-

mately four whereas half a century ago it was 15. In other

words, paperback buyers to-

sales are not, overall, increas-

Two other factors are epod-

such as Philip McCutchan,

Elizabeth Ferrars and Brian

The paperback industry is desperately worried. Until a few years ago, paperback houses were having to com-pete with each other in the market-place and pay unnatu-raily inflated advances to acquire lead titles, the big books needed both to obtain crediday are getting a bad deal. Mass-market paperback bility and to gain rack-space in shops. Approximately half of this money went to a few overpaid authors, the rest to bolster the coffers of the originating house.

Now horns are being drawn in, and wherever feasible hardback houses are bringing out the paperbacks of their authors' titles. For instance, the new John le Carré, A Perfect Spy, is to be paper-backed not, as usual, by Pan but by Coronet, Hodder's reprint arm.

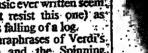
Most alarming of all is the high percentage-level of re-turns to paperback houses. It used to be said that the reason why paperbacks were so inexpensive was not because of their paper covers but because they were printed in so many copies, thus reducing the unit cost. Except with best-sellers, this is no longer so. As printruns are cut, as unrealistic advances have to be paid to attract and retain major selling authors, as kings' ransoms have to be spent on promotion, : as returns increase (sometimes higher than 25 per cent of books put out), the retail price of paperbacks creeps closer to that of hardbacks.

The paperback certainly has a past. But what of its future? - 80 per cent of their print-

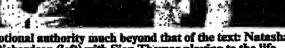
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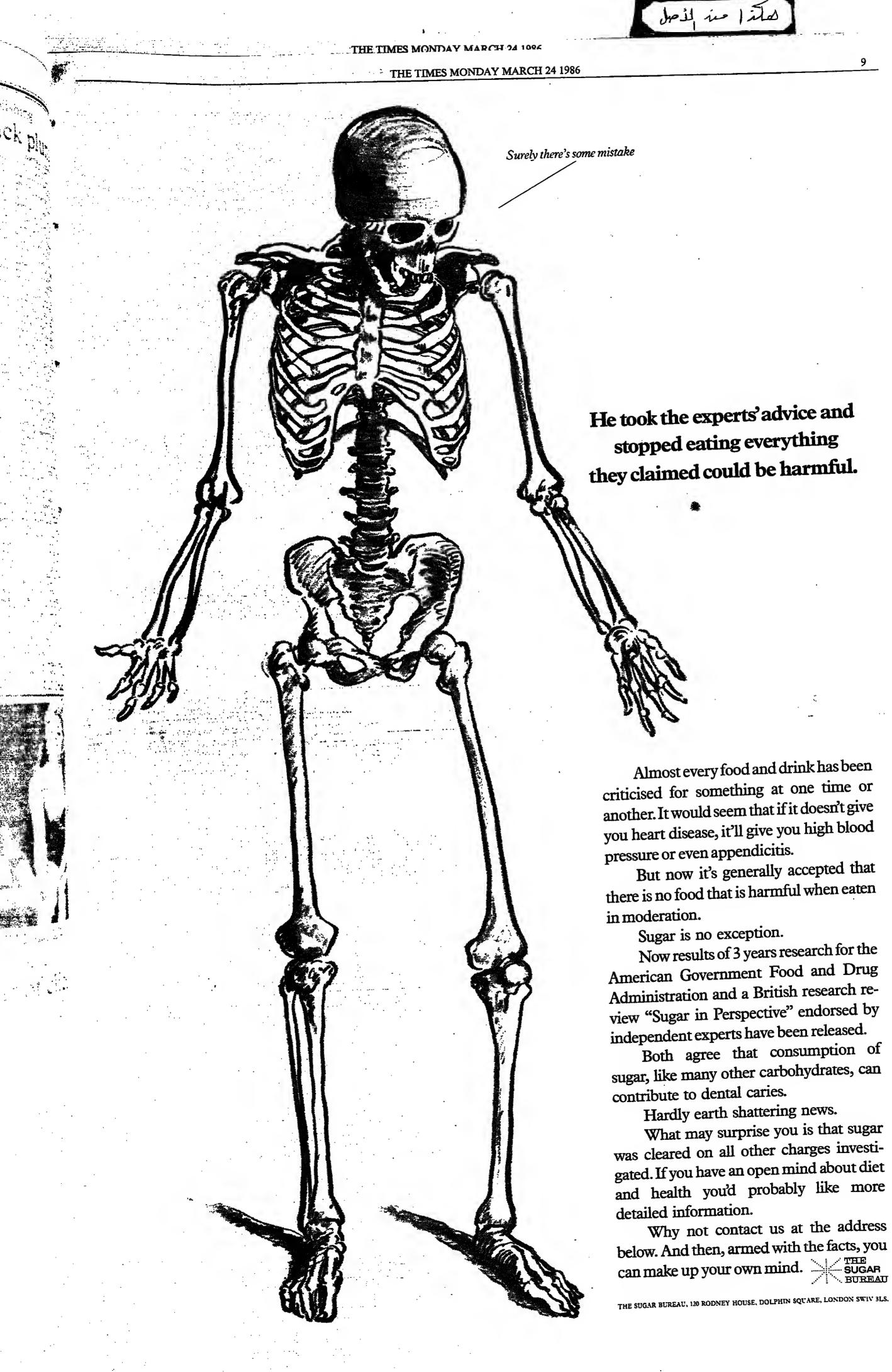
## Concerts

Jazz piano music ever written seem. Smythe memorial framework and with hints of a YMSO/Blair ground of string trills and Earl Wild (1 cannot resist this one) as" military drumming, bovers rock beat, showed that be can Wigmore Hall simple as falling of a log. close to the "Leningrad". St John's The paraphrases of Verdi's. cope with the long shadows UCS Theatre Perhaps Polish audiences . the that McCoy Typer and find this blatantly reactionary In this second of his three Song from Wagner's Flying Jarrett cast over any young Once one looked to Penderecand thickly-scored music full Pat Smythe, the Scottish jazz Liszt recitals, Earl Wild conjazz pianist; the second, a Dutchman were quite dazki for avant-garde showman-ship. Now, it seems, one of symbolic meaning. Western listeners might decide it hangs pianist best known as a discentrated on the piano tranzlingly done, Wild transformbreezy 32-bar tune by Smythe scriptions of this most indicreet accompanist of singers. called "Take it Easy", dising the latter's fearful techshould be discussing his hantogether rather creakily. was hardly a major figure in played a graceful swing and a vidual of 19th-century comdling of sonata form; his npe, nical difficulties into an jazz when he died a couole of The Young Musicians Symposers who at the same time civilized sense of humour, and iridescent, gossamer-light casyears ago. He is remembered, romantic scoring; bis tunes. phony Orchestra was in deterhad an unique capacity to in the third, a blues of the cade of keyboard figuration, though, with a quiet hut persistent affection, now ex-Not often has a musical mined mood, and James Blair guided it through this complex 1 pianist's own devising called respond to the work of others. medium been so thoroughly with only an occasional hard-Greens Enough for Three" And not exclusively on his ening of tone. turned over to suit a message. pressed in the institution of a score with a sure touch. He one could hear a young mind at work on the venerable but That message is the volatile fusion of Catholicism, nationown terms; either. Similarly, some relatively relaxed Schumann and Chomemorial concert and an also just about kept the award to be presented annualtimelessly intriguing discover-ies of Bud Powell and Bach's Fantasia and Fugue quickfire exchanges of Baralism, sacrifice and stoicism pin song-transcriptions and in G minor (originally for organ) and Beethoven's First ly to a young jazz musician of tok's Piano Concerto No 2 in which infused Poland in the outstanding promise. The big band of Allan Ganley was the three of the Paganini-based line, though in this notorious-Thelonious Monk. 1970s, and which is surely the Grandes Etudes exemplified Symphony, which took up the first half, are genuine tranly reverberant acoustic steadi-Ganley conducted his 14inspiration of such odd works what this tradition of tranfeatured attraction at the coner speeds might have aided piece orchestra in an extended work called Suite for Four as his Second Symphony. This "Christmas Symphscendental pianism is all cert, at an intimate school scriptions rather than launchclarity. about; even the fiendish "Ea theatre in Hampstead, and the ing-points for Liszt's own ony" quotes (with a naivety that I found faintly embarrass-Where one could hear Nich-Friends, its movements dedifirst Pat Smythe Trust Award, Campanella" seemed not to composing instincts, and are olas Unwin's passagework clearly, however, this young cated to dead heroes of Britisb a cheque for £700, found its cause Wild undue effort. nonetheless interesting for ing) the carol "Silent Night" in jazz. Tubby Hayes was reway into the gifted hands of pianist sounded like an excit-One normally thinks of his membered by Stan Sulz-mann's urgent tenor saxo-phone, while colourful writing Steve Melling, a 26-year-old pianist from Preston whose several places, but it is actually that. a very noisy night where goodwill to all men is mani-festly in shon supply. The ing prospect. Technical chalplaying in terms of what might But the second half was Emotional authority much beyond that of the text: Natasha lenges do not daunt him: the be called its extreme muzziewhat the capacity audience work with NYJO, the Clark Richardson (left) with Sian Thomas playing to the life velocity, but his choice of for muted brass evoked the first movement cadenza, for Tracey Quintet and others has bad obviously come to hear; I instance, was delivered with spirit of the trombonist Keith am simply glad I was there too. Wild's genial presence musical idiom leans heavily encore revealed another side marked him out as a promibig-toned gutsiness which never hindered its pulsating Christie. Smythe received furon the rhetoric of ambiguous of things: the long-breathed, nent member of the new Theatre protest perfected by Shostakother tribule from the guitar of wonderfully ornamented Larenhanced proceedings: he looks rather like a veteran generation. vich. Jagged, heavily counter-pointed string themes. for momentum. There were welghetto of Chopin's Second Phil Lee, followed by a finale Accompanied by Tracey's In fear of cliché drums and by Phil Steri-opoulos's double bass. Meldedicated to Phil Seamen, come signs, too, of a more Piano Concerto was delivered lumberjack who has put on a instance, are reminiscent of the Russian's Fifth Symphoremembered with obvious aflyrical awareness, especially in with memorable restraint and tail-coal and white the for the rhapsodic winding-down of fection by the energetic Terry tenderness. ling performed three pieces evening, sits down at the Jenkins in the featured role. ny, while a jackboot-strutting his fleet-fingered scherzo. which together gave an idea of keyboard and makes some of the most satanically difficult enforced threesome with the **Malcolm Hayes** climax. hammering away at a China his considerable range. The **Richard Morrison** masterful Mr Chandler. From Richard Williams | semitone interval over a backfirst, cast in a modal harmonic this you expect plot repercus-Bush period actually inhibit the maleability of emotion exproduction, and Monteverdi sions when she subsequently and a service and and and a service of the service of the service of the Opera would doubtless have adapplies to him for a job. But mired Jonathan Hales's prac-tical ingenuity, but probably precious little else. With Rogpressed in every twist and turn of Monteverdi's vocal line. Seek as I may for other levels The Royal Opera they gloss over it and the incident is barely mentioned of meaning, the message of The Coronation of Mark Brennan's piece seems If the high castrato role of Nero is to be taken by a woman then, for all her conagain. Then someone de-Poppea er Butlin (designer) he has to be that Soho's demi-monde scribes the club as a place opted for the seventeenth century: a single noble interi-or, black and white in heavy is a sad and tawdry play-Marlowe, "where men can decide who they are." This turns out to be ground where large sums of siderable qualities, that wom-an should not be Patricia Canterbury money are made out of furtive another false clue: instead of a satin and ruff and circular Rozario. The projections of an inescapably female sexuality clients and girls wasting their series of role-playing clients, best years by staying up too late at night. Simon Spokes's production at least enables uled floor. Ivan Fischer's Monteverdi was nothing if not we get a string of well-behaved choice is equally prudent a large continuo group (five and her dusky near-mezzo a pragmatist. The Coronation insurance men and husbands soprano provide none of the of Poppea was probably writ-ten for a travelling company: **Richard Strauss** showing off family photokeyboards, lutes and celli) you to make this discovery at hard brilliance which must EN The Ger Fra graphs. The plot subsides into Cast includes Lucia Popp, Bernd Weikl, Marie McLaughlin, A. David Rendall, Heiga Demesch, Walter Berry. scattered in the shadows. The the Bush's modest rates, rathbounce off Poppea's own numerous re-writings bear winness to its need for flexibilibrief episodes with many un-Royal instrumental tints are tastefuler than by paying upwards of music.There are moments motivated arrivals and deparly selected and executed. when Monteverdi'a nerve-endings are fleetingly touched £50 for a bottle of champagne. iy, and the reduced instrutures showing typical mo-ments in the life of the club: China takes its title from a Opera But the whole purpose of mental textures to the econ-901 9 H 15. northern girl who assumes in the intensity of Sarah Walker's typically regal Ott-avia, and in the shrewd comic omic exigencies of Venetian Monteverdi's practicality was advice from the senior hostess House Conductor: Bernard Haitink. that name on moving into opera production. On the face minutely to stage-manage his Cynthia, interludes with the Soho. The handout calls her drama in and through the music itself. To this purpose, of it. an ideal package for a touring troupe like Kent Opfreelancing William, and the March 27, 31; April 4, 8, 10 at 7.00pm. husiness of Christopher Gillan "enigmatic drifter", but humiliating audition of anothett's nurse, Arnalta. His hullathat is much too definite. She Kent Opera's chilly new pro-Reservations: 01-240 1066/1911 era. And so they proved, by er new girl. duction seems oblivious. The by, though, is all too potent. could be a drifter; she could making the work their inaugu-Much the most successful Access/Visa/Diners Club. have a secret plan; she could be in flight from something in ral production in 1969. heavy severity of gesture and creation is the torch-carrying **Hilary Finch** Now comes an entirely new deportment required by its Cynthia: a stereotype, but written with wit and gusto, Company and the first the second her past. China plays it close to the chest. All you can say and played to the nutcracker-jawed life by Sian Thomas -characteristically seen welwith any certainty is that she starts the job in a state of quivering nausea, and goes on coming a quaking debutante to captivate every man who To. Captain A. D. Hutton, OBE RN (Ret'd), Director of Appeals, The Royal Hospital and Home for Incurables, Dept L, West Hill, Putney, to her seedy domain with the line "Well, well, you shall go-to the ball". Elsewhere, much Lynda Ellis is incurable; but she's learning crosses her path. PE BAY PE BAY Just why the ruthless Mr With the individual medical attention, handler takes on such an therapy and nursing we are able to give to all of the writing seems to go in fear of cliche. It is full of hints unpromising applicant as a night-club hostess in the first our 270 patients, Lynda is now improving. Yes, I would like to help. (Please tick) to live again. She can use her arms again, her hearing is of violence, threat and desire place is one of the play's other t enclose a donation to the RHHI. Lynda Ellis was always outgoing. Brought up in various countries, she returned to returning and our speech therapist is teaching Please send me the RHHT's leaflet on making covenants or bequests. which point towards sentimysteries; but, once in it, mentality and then get cut off her to talk again. But perhaps the happies China finds her niche as a ALM Eng-reco before arrival. This is particu-Bntain to teach the culinary skills which she result of all is that Lynda's sunny nature is glacial untouchable whose Please send me more information larly the case with Stuart shining through. Her fellow teachers are about the RHHI. consumption of booze and · · · · Wilson's Chandler, a lordly aggressor forever pulling his possessed. Then Lynda had a car crash. She suffered cigarettes rivals that of the boss. As played by Natasha amazed at the transformation. Name We are a registered charity (ALOCKLETTERS, PLUSE) severe head injuries, which left her without punches and covering his Richardson she develops an FOR DOG SECONDER DO SECONDE DE SECONDE SECONDE DE SECONDE DE SECONDE S (No. 205907) and rely upon donaspeech and blind in one eye. Nine months RØH emotional authority much betracks with smoke-screens of later, still unconscious and with little hope tions, covenants and legacies. ddre oblique irony. As somebody of recovery, Lynda was admitted to the RHHL youd that of the text. Please help. The opening scene shows China and her equally eng-matic friend William (Eddie remarked in Made in Bangkok, "badinage is instead of conversation". The Royal Hospital & Home for Incurables. Patrons: HM The Queen and HM The Queen Mother. O'Connell) preparing for an **Irving Wardle** 

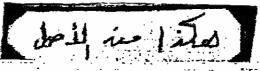


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# SPECTRUM

# Whitehall: the system strikes back

Who runs Mrs Thatcher's Britain? Seven years ago, the Conservative government promised a revolution in Civil Service style and management. In the first of a three-part series, Colin Hughes goes behind closed doors and assesses what has really happened

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Civil servaots, a Cabioet Secretary once said, rank alongside Wigan Pier and mothers-io-law as hutts of stereotyped humour. From the caricature of bowler, brolly and Surhiton semi-detached, to cosy Sir Humphrey Applehy mockery, inaccurate public images have long been exaggerated by an aura of mystery. The mass of Britaio's 600,000

civil servants are better represented hy the DHSS clerk who confronts the public from behind a benefit office grille; by VAT inspectors, driving examiners, im-migratioo officials and prison officers. Five out of six civil servaots

work outside incer Loodon, a third are aged under 30, nearly half are women, and most oever meet a minister, let alone say yes" to him wheo they mean

But recently, among both the lever-pullers of Whitehall and the cogs and wheels io the rest of the country, there has been a shared feeling of disquiet. The wrangle over trade union representation at GCHQ and confusion following the trial of Clive Ponting have left many of them unsure and insecure about their roles, rights and respoosibilities.

The leak rebellions of Tisdall and Ponting may be the price of disaffection which government has to pay to achieve change; the Westland affair exacerbated symptoms of uncertainty about where the huck stops.

New navigators have been relegated to the back seat

Britain's vaunted Rolls Royce bureaucracy still powers on smoothly and, for the most part, silently. But seven years of conviction politicians who came to power impatient for a "new style" of government have raised questions which could yet force extensive reappraisal of the written and unwritten rules of relations between civil servants and ministers. Radicals both left and right want to go back to the drawing-board, while Whitehall and its defenders are fighting to retain old virtues. In some parts of Whitehall the admioistration's style has undoubtedly been streamlined by new emphasis on management. Lord Rayner, hrought in from Marks and Spencer, set up the Efficiency Unit and Financial Management Initiative to reach into dusty corners and sweep out money-wasting. By last November the unit had carried out 206 scrutinics. identifyiog £600 mil-lion a year savings, from cutting study now under way into the running of the £1.000 million Community Programme. But savings of that size loom

small agaiost the annual £16,000 million cost of keeping the hureaucracy oo the road. The exercise has not had the knock-oo effect its advocates hoped. The system has accommodated Rayner. It has not taken him to its heart. The unit's very future is this week in some doubt, following the unexpected departure of its head, lao Beesley, to a private sector management consultancy job. New navigators have also come

in from the private sector, deter-mined to pull the wheel more tightly round a right-haod bend. Most have been relegated to the back seat. The Central Policy Review Staff "think taok" was scrapped by the Prime Mioister. Sir John Hoskyns took over the Prime Minister's Policy Unit with crusading zeal. Among his early plans was one to "deprivilege the Civil Service". But he ended up oo the roadside, thwarted by the Cabinet Office and advocatiog from his post as director-geoeral of the lostitute of Directors a mould-breaking reform to blast away the rocks oo which he believes this government, like others before it, has foundered.

Replacements have chosen to swim with the tide. Sir Robin lbbs, brought to from Imperial Chemical Industries to run the Efficieocy Unit, is a part-time agent with a small staff of only nioe career civil servants, a David against the Goliath of government departments.

The Number 10 policy unit, from which the mild-maonered John Redwood has recently re-turned to Rothschilds, still adopts the lower profile which he preferred.

More politically motivated advisers have come in to oil the machine, and faced the perennial problem: they can only tinker with a vehicle built on traditionally stylish but old-fashioned principles. The system that has survived 130 years is being compared with slick French Citroens, sharp German BMWs, brash American Buicks, and found wanting. The eternal question remains: who is in the driving seat? Ministers are still coofident that they dictate the direction of government. Yet in the past few weeks the Prime Minister has beguo to consider the creation of a new Department of Education and Training, a suggestion partly born of the ahiding belief that Department of Education and Science civil servants deliberately frustrated education voucher proposals. Sir Keith Joseph was persuaded by his officials that the system would be unworkahle, and he dropped it; the hope is that Lord Young, Mrs.

accountability at the Department of Envircoment and Ministry of Defence enabled him to overcome "the tyranny of the in-tray, press cutting, parliamentary question, and manifesto". In charge of departments employing tens of thousands, he used the system to find what every branch was doing, unearthing absurdities such as the MoD having three separate units each ordering false teeth for the three different armed services.

£700 millioo a year (and 15,000 notorious adminstrative forms torn up). Although some of the 133,000 jobs shed were in departmeots that have been hived off, slashed numbers have imposed heavier demands in some areas.

The First Division Association, representing the 8,000 civil servants at the peak of the pyramid, has, however, reacted by warning its members against succumbing

and through weekends, with little reward."

ity pay structure, abolished in 1981, has yet to be replaced. Index-linked pensions are a distant compensation for sliding behind on the earnings scale. Permanent Secretaries voice discreet anxieties: the brightest and best civil servants, those marked with gold stars behind their cars"

Morale is low. The comparabil-

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Sir John Hoskyns (below left) determined to "deprivilege the service". Lord Rayner (right) wanted management reform. But did either of them succeed?



Small victories had been won but Whitehall had absorbed Raynerism as it had all the other schemes for reform and improving efficiency. In 1985 a report by the Efficiency Unit summed up. Only half the planned savings had been achieved and even then it had taken

twice as long as expected." Clive Ponting: Whitehall, Tragedy and Farce, 1986.

jobs go to those deemed "one of"

No evidence is put forward to prove that preferment is being made on the party political sympathies of career officials. Senior civil servants, even those who make it privately clear they have no personal sympathy for this government's politics, say relations at the top are more amicable. than under most governments since Harold Wilson's attempt at a white-hot revolution in 1964. Most acrimony is unfocused, low

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far wrong with any undertaking whose staff finds it necessary to be furtive, evasive or apologetic about their occupation", preferring to answer dinner party inquiries about their work by saying they are administrators, accountants or economists, rather than admit they are civil servants.

Change has been more than cosnietic: many features of the remodelled bureaucracy will endure; not least because the most

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Thatcher's "action man", can win a replay. Michael Heseltine believes his introduction of lice management

Some officials have struggled to adapt, others have dug in their heels against threatening trends. Ooe official's apologetic presentation of a scrutiny paper to his colleague illustrates staff sensitivity. He wrote: "I have cleared the action plan. I think it is the minimum we can get away with, and I hope it is something you feel you can live with."

MissAnne Mueller, Second Permanent Secretary at the Manago-ment and Personoel Office, says management and efficiency improvements show that "the Civil Service is going through the most profound changes for over a century", creating a new "bias for action". Since 1979 one in five posts have indeed been cut, saving

"workaholic" pressures. As one principal in the Treasury says:

The best are being burnt out by working 80 hours a week

"Most people are keen to take oo board oew attitudes, and see the need for change. Being the expert on a policy costing billions when you're not yet 30 is still as exciting as it ever was. But it's true that the best are being burnt out by working 80-hour weeks, at night

numbers to take up jobs in industry and the City.

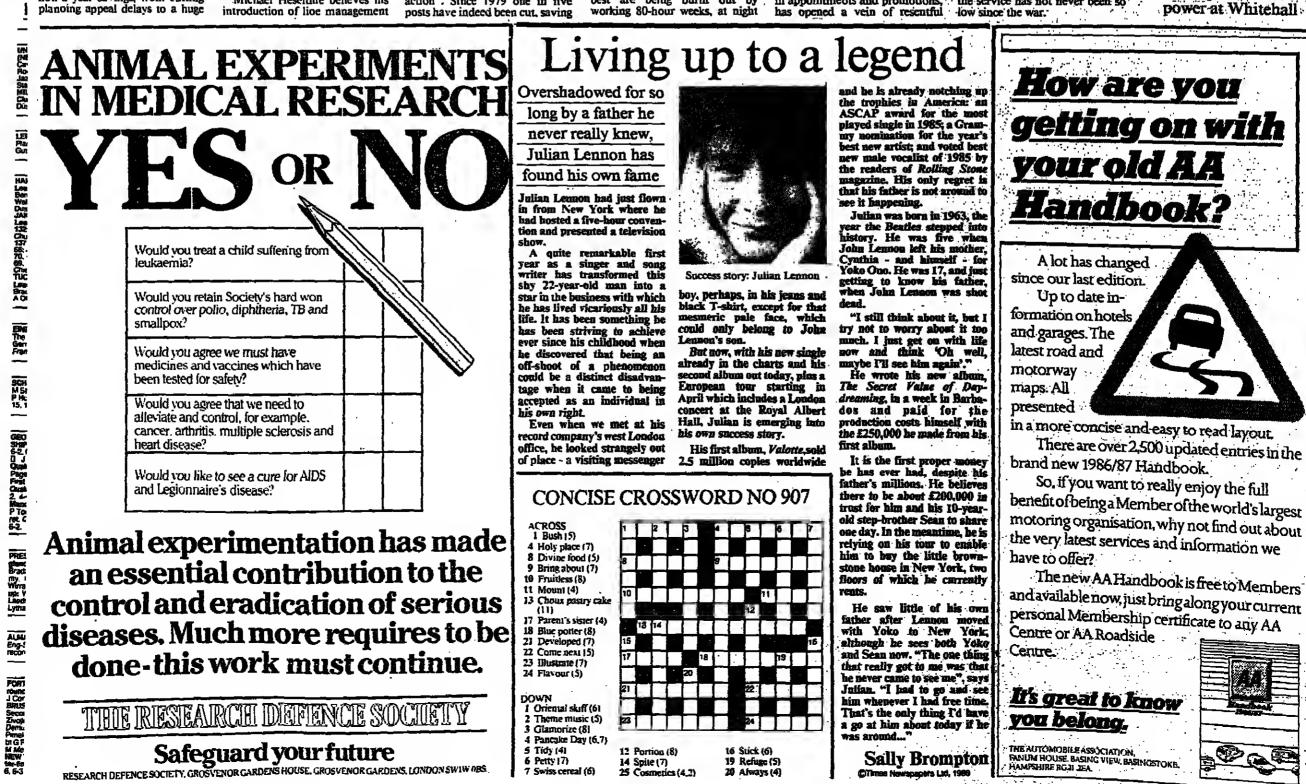
Hawkish ministers see the drain as a logical result of their ap-proach. As one says: "Whitehall has for too long had the pick of the bunch, creaming off the top young talent straight out of university, and locking them away for the rest of their protected lives. It will do no harm for some of them to move into the wealth-creatiog sector."They argue that too many of those carefully selected brains were mouldering in obscure offices, with little to do but shuffle paper.

Mrs Thatcher, by taking an unusually keen personal interest but argues that self-confidence in the service has not never been so in appointmeots and promotions, has opened a vein of resentful

morale searching for a cause, But John Ward, general secre-tary of the FDA, makes a more telling point which reflects the "off . record" views of many mandarins. Senior managers, he says, are becoming more closely identified with the policies they implement, and therefore are seen "as more or less willing tools of a government that is perceived to be hostile to. ithe Civil Service". Lord Bancroft has other doubts.

The former mandarin, who ran the Civil Service Department until redesign. it was abolished - along with his TOMORROW job - five years ago, agrees that the old attitudes of the gifted 'amateur needed to be challenged,

How to decipher the complexities of power at Whitehall ...



enthusiastic civil servants ap-prove. They know that, despite promotion log jams arising from cuts, they have nothing to lose. But the turmoil and pressures of the past few years have left an atmosphere of bewildered questioning that suggests greater issues lie beyond. Faith in the power of the symbol . oo British government's bonnet is clearly waning. Thatcherism promised a revolution and ended with a

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The other victims of rape

The rape of an Ealing vicar's daughter has focused attention on the shock an attack can cause to the men in the victim's life

espite the Rev Michael Saward's protestations of forgiveness for his attackers, men close to rape victims do, in fact, have a tough time coming to terms with what has happened to their wives, girlfriends, daughters or sisters. It is an aspect of rape that has, until recently, been overlooked in Britain. The Islington Victim Support Scheme in north London helps victims of any type of crime, from burglary to rape, referred to them. attackers, men close to

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with the victims' consent, from burglary to rape, referred to them, with the victims' consent, by the local police. When counsellors there began to realize that rape victims were often finding that their male partners or relatives were having problems coping with the attack - problems that were affecting the women's own recovery - they decided to offer a counselling service as well.

"Rape", says Kathy Hobdell of the Islington scheme, "is an enormously stressful situation, and people need as much help as and people need as much help as they can get. It is not just a violent assault, it involves sex, a subject surrounded by tshoos. Sex is an area that people often just don't talk about. So, if the partners in the relationship are already having a problem communicating, the rape makes it far worse." rape makes it far worse,"

Dr Anthony Bateman, a psychi-atrist at the Royal Free Hospital, London, was asked to conduct the pilot project and over the past year has counselled nine men at regular interviews, at first alone, then later with their partners. His initial results will shortly be published in The British Medical Journal. Only a small minority of the Islington rape victims in fact had male

partners, but nearly all took np the offer of counselling. Dr Bateman welcomed the project because it took the subject out of its strait-jacket - the presumption that all men are aggressive and all women victims. Although, women prefer a close woman relative or friend as their confidante after the attack because they feel they can talk more freely - rather than their husband or partner, most do feel that they can trust their male partners. They don't believe that

all men are rapists. In contrast, the Rape Crisis Centre (which offers a 24-hour telephone counselling service) will talk to men, only to suggest that they get their female pariners to call the Centre. Their address remains known only to women this, explained a spokeswoman is so that "the women feel safe". Such an attitude merely reinforces



the siege mentality that is part of the inythology surrounding rape. Dr Bateman, found that the responses of the victims' partners pointed towards a characteristie syndrome. "There is an initial phase of anger lasting five to seven days, followed by a protective phase associated with avoidance activity and anxiety symptoms lasting more than a month, and a later depressive phase associated with guilt and sexual difficulties". The third phase of guilt, hope-

lessness and depression, com-pounded with anxiety, irritability, headaches, sleeplessness, increased drinking and smoking, can last for more than six months, and merely adds to the women's difficulties in attempting to re-sume their normal lives, Dr Bateman says ...

The men's initial reactions of disbelief are followed by anger, directed first against the victim. Why had she allowed it to happen? Why had she been foolish enough to be in a situation where it could happen? They feel; however un-reasonably, that they should have been there to protect the wife or girlfriend. Finally their anger turns against the attacker, and they often say they want violent revenge.

athy Hobdell says that these responses have much to do with the myths that surround rape; that men tend to believe that rape is an unambiguously violent situation where a

Superman intervention could have saved the day. "But," she

says, "rape is not necessarily the unknown assailant armed with a knife in a dark alleyway; it's to do with forcible sex by an acquaint-ance, or perhaps the result of a chance meeting in a pub, or a lift home from a party - the kind of situation that is difficult for the woman to explain without feeling she will be hlamed for what took place."

It is this kind of rape that is seldom reported to the police because of women's fear of male disbelief and disapproval.

In counselling, many of the men still showed, some months later, an uncertainty about the actual facts and circumstances of the rape, revealing both the amhiguity of their feelings about their partners' acquiesence, or even sexual enjoyment of the attack.

#### **6**Perhaps the greatest difficulties lie in the partners' inability to discuss the event together?

and the difficulties they had had in discussing it between themselves. During the second phase the men showed excessive and unreasonable protectiveness. They increased the security of their homes, with bars on the windows and extra locks oo the doors - even when the rape had taken place outside in a public place. Some wanted virtually to incarcerate their partners. One man wanted his wife to stay at home when he was at work; or, if she did go out alone, to telephone him every hour. Another started to take time off work to accompany his girlfriend to the local shops; even six months later he still kept a starting pistol by the side of the

In a recent American televisioo soap opera, the hero, having successfully chased away his wife's would-be rapist, declared: "It's all right now. I'm never going to leave you alone again, ever". A succinct phrasing of the myth of male culpability and resulting over-protectiveness. "The awful thing about rape," explains Kathy Hobdell, "is that it takes away a woman's control over her life So such cotton wool treatment can become a problem." This kind of reaction interferes

with the victim's adjustment to the rape, and with such attempts to get back to normal as mastering her anxiety about travelling alone on the train because the attack had taken place there.

Perhaps the greatest difficulties lie in the partners' inability to discuss the event together. Dr Bateman found that the men avoided any reference to violent sexuality in the media, or in conversation with other men.

One vetted the newspaper every morning and, if it contained any item about rape, would hide it and claim it hadn't been delivered. Another broke bones in his hand when he punched a brick wall after hearing some workmen whistle at a woman passing in the street.

Dr Bateman said:"Interestingly, this inability to come to terms with male sexual violence extended further thao just close partners. One rape victim worked in an office with only male colleagues. When she told them what had happened to her, they were unable to talk to her for a week.

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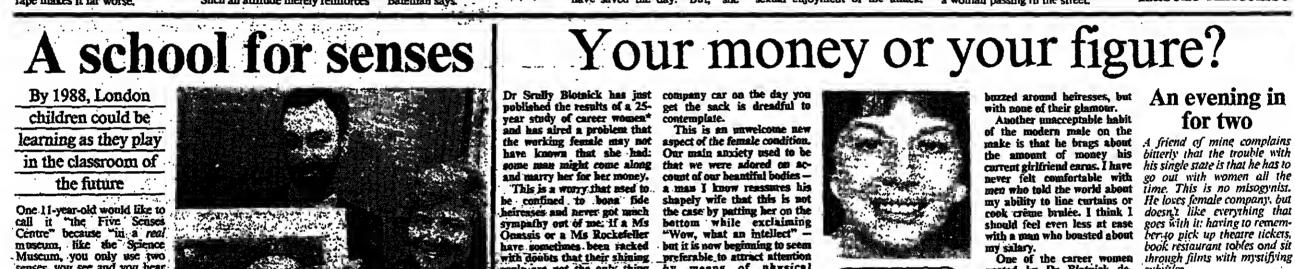
" It's as though any suggestion of being able to cope with sexual violeoce becomes impossible for men when directly confronted with the rape." Most couples took up to three months to resume their sexual relationship, although for many it took much longer, espe-cially if there were had been sexual difficulties before the rape.

ne mao described him self as "trying to make love without really making love" - in case he did something the rapist may have done. "Aggres-sion forms part of normal sexuality", says Dr Bateman, "which then becomes frightening when the rape confronts the man with the aggressive component of his own sexuality. But without risking an element of aggression, it may feel impossible to him to have sex at all."

Although there is a feeling of hopelessness about the relation-ship, a feeling that things can never be the same again, the men said they were not too concerned with the essential Victorian notion of their woman women being "soiled", although they admitted having thought about it. American studies have shown that a rape tends to end an existing relationship.

All hut one of the couples involved in the Islington scheme are still together, hut Dr Bateman points out: "It's early days yet. It doesn't all end happily ever after. hut 1 do feel that these couples are at least being given the chance not to split up."

**Isabelle Anscombe** 



my salary. One of the career women by Dr E ofnick de-

He loves female company, but doesn't like everything that goes with it: having to remember to pick up theatre lickets, book restaurant tobles ond sit inrough films with mystifying

and you can't touch, but here you'll be able to use all five". It will have a house in which everything can be worked washing machine, telephone, central heating - and a street beneath which children can explore. There will be a television studio and an office fully

equipped with the latest communications systems and a personal computer. There will be a huge mouth, the start of technic teacher. " I have an exhibit called "All About always been more interested Me"

This is the playground-cumclassroom parents and teach- providing environments and ers have so far been able only to dream of. It now looks set to become a certainty since the Clore Foundation pledged initial funding which may be Derbyshire until last year. worth as much as £5 million. It will open in 1988.

Exhibits like toilet cisterns and locks will have cut-away sections to show what happens when they are worked, and there will even be a "sensory deprivation area" where children will find out what it ment and play", he says, means to be handicapped. There will be a pedal car means to be handicapped.

"For years I have been trying to encourage children to learn by experience rather than the written word alone", says Mrs Barbara Ryan, head event". teacher of Laycock Primary School in Islington, north London." This will be a great when Mrs Rosemary Gold-smith, wife of Trusthouse facility for schools. Teachers Forte's planning and marketwill be able to use it for ing director, took her family problem-solving, but it could on a visit to a new children's also teach adults to trust museum in Los Angeles where children to think for. visitors were encouraged to

themselves." play with exhibits - "some-Mis Ryan's school is one of thing I'd never seen before" several in London whose chil- and decided there should be dren have been helping to find such a place in Britain. The the name to replace the work- Los Angeles museum was ing title of Children's Museitself based on the Boston um, Front-runners so far are Children's Museum, which



will be £3 million

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The class of '88: Stephen Feber and Vivien Duffield

was to play another crucial part in the founding of the London centre. Mrs Goldsmith consulted Children's London Discovery Centre and Discovery World. Its director is 34-year-old

Stephen Feber, a former poly-technic teacher. " I have and recruited experts and was further encouraged by a gov-criment grant of £50,000 to research the theme. She hired Stephen Feber and they proin education which is in the control of the learner, in duced a glossy brochure to try situations where people can and attract sponsorship. Meanwhile Mrs Vivien learn at their own pace", says Feber, who ran the Sudbury

Hall Museum of Childhood in Duffield, daughter of the late Sir Charles Clore and a trustee of the Clore Foundation, was visiting the Ruth David Youth Wing of Jerusalem Museum and then the Boston Initial building costs Children's Museum with her

own children. "Here was this "The definition of an attracfantastie place for kids to learn tive exhibit for me is that it. by doing, and there was allows the learner to experiabsolutely nothing in Britain remotely like it. Then Stephen's brochure came which will only work if four through the Foundation's post children pedal in harmony. "Clearly it's going to be as much a social as a learning and as. I'd just seen these things I knew what it was about". She contacted Feber -The project began in 1979

with no promises just a show of interest" - and set to work persuading her fellow trustee to help. Though as yet she is cautious about the amount, it is thought that £5 million is being made available to pay for initial huilding work (expected to cost about £3 million) and some exhibits. Grants and more sponsorship are being sought by Feber.

· In September last year Ronald Grierson, chairman of the South Bank Board, an-nounced that the centre would be sited there. He has offered a sile hetween Hungerford Bridge and the Festival Hall. In November the Conran Foundation proclaimed the centre would go to its new complex at Butler's Wharf. In fact a choice has yet to be made, and there is even a third

site under discussion. This month, the Royal Opera House's building projects manager, Robin Dartington was appointed to evaluate the various sites and a decision is expected by the spring. "We are seeing the start of a

new service industry?. Mrs Goldsmith believes, "which we could call 'leisure education and we believe there will be centres like this all over Britain in a few

Mrs Ryan's children can hardly wait. One little enthusiast wanted to know: "Will we be able to go even without the school?"

#### Simon Tait

have sometimes, been racked but it is now beginning to seem with doubts that their shining \_\_preferable to attract attention are not the only th means or about them that causes gentle attributes rather than by s men to break out in a rash of bank balance that is in excellent shape. Just about the only compeaproposals, my reaction is that they are very lucky to have

sation attached to men who hover around high-carning something else which makes them desirable. Inherited oiltankers or dollars are a gift of nature, like blonde curis. women is that they are unlikely to be over-concerned about But to have fortune-hunters the women's looks. According flocking on account of the to Dr Blotnick, " ... in high money you have earned all by-yourself is something comschool and college, these men were attracted to the bestlooking girls. But when they were in their late 20s, and sletely different. For whereas the oil-tankers and dollars that are handed down from throughout their 30s, they father to daughter tend to go actually fied such women .... on forever, one's ability to draw a good salary is finite. because they sensed that they were not in a position to shoulder the emotional and It is upsetting enough to suspect that a man might take financial burden the women to the hills as soon as he spots

represented " I wouldn't mind some one thinking my pay cheque was the most gorgeous thing about

PENNY PERRICK

me if he were an international playboy who shot his cuffs. captained a polo team and had his can de cologne made for meet np with an unrepentant workaholic. There is no logic him exclusively in Paris. But, sadly, career women attract in this behaviour. Men who rather lesser fry. The men who live to work, can afford to take want them are unrealistic dreamers, waiting for a mirac-ulous "one day" and filling in time with odd jobs while you to the Bahamas - but can never spare the time. They are often stressed, grumpy and exceedingly tired. But they nuderstand (who better?) your preparing to write a major novel, or be discovered by own urge to work hard. And Michael Grade. They flatter they earn enough money themodiously and borrow money selves to keep their hands off which is never repaid. In fact, yours. they have all the failings of the

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Glenholmes to go free is the latest

in a series surrounding the conten-

tious issue of extradition between

the Republic and Northern Ire-

land. Extradition, or rather the

lack of it, has bedevilled Anglo-

Irish relations since the start of the

troubles in 1969 and causes deep

resentment among Unionists in

The failure of another extra-

dition attempt has raised further

douhts about the political will of

the Irish government in dealing

with terrorism and has reinforced

Unionist suspicions that courts in

the Republic are reluctant to send

people to Ulster or Britain to

Unionists have long demanded

evidence that the Republic was

not being used as a haven for

terrorists, many of them born in

Ulster, to plan and launch attacks

in the North. Extradition was

proof, hut it is only a partial

answer to terrorist violence. In

two recent cases in which extra-

dited men have appeared in court.

the problem facing the Ulster authorities was the difficulty in

getting strong enough evidence to

Until four years ago the Republic's courts refused to returo

people wanted in the North for

alleged terrorist crimes if they said

the act was carried out in pursuit

of political ends. This enabled

What does Nigel Lawson's call for

"popular capitalism" mean for job

prospects in inner city areas with

high ethnic minority populations? The government says the key is a package recently announced to

target existing programmes on

The idea is that by using existing

resources more imaginatively, workers can be retrained and new

business opportunities opened up.

The Urban Programme, for exam-

pie, already spends more than

E130 million, while the Youth

Training Scheme alone provides

21,000 places for ethnic minority youngsters at a cost of at least £50 million. Moreover, the 1976 Race

Relations Act has a little-used

provision which allows for "pos-

itive action" in training, whereby

resources can be targeted on

ethnic minorities if it can be

shown that they are under-repre-

sented in the types of jobs for which the training is seen as

The potential, then, is consid-

erable, but the effort will founder

if it is not accompanied by the

abandonment of assumptions that

have hitherto dogged previous

initiatives. The first is perhaps the

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minority youngsters in general,

and West Indians in particular, are

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# A haven for misunderstanding

# THE TIMES DIARY

Driven to extremes

The business acumen of Ricbard Page, parliamentary private secretary to John Biffen, Leader of the House, gives some insight into what Commons insiders may really think about British Leyland. Page. Tory MP for South West Hertfordshire, is also a director of Page Finance. a Surrey family holding company which owns two car distributorships. His firm had a franchise to sell BL cars but switched to Volvo and Ford. As a result, he says, profits have soared and warranty pay-outs have gone down by three quarters. As a qualified mechanical engineer and ex-apprentice with Varxhall Mo-tors, Page should know what he is doing. "I wanted to keep my employees in work," he says, "so we had to finish with Leyland to stay in husiness. The bottom simply fell out of their market."

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If the Aussies were alarmed hy their new dollar coin - the inscription on the Queen's necklace reads more like POM than DOM. the artists's initials - it is nothing to the horror fell in Iran over the new 100 rial note. More than a million are being recalled after the authorities found the artist had secretly incorporated in his drawing the words "Death upon the regime" and "Death upon Khomeini." The artist, who has gone into hiding, has also drawn into the beard of Moddarress, a dead avatoliah, the head of a fox. The notes, and the artist. are now naturally considered collectors' items,

#### Small beer

Scois Tory MP Michael Hirst thinks his Commons secretary has an exaggerated idea of his means: last week she sent him a note in the chamber thus "Please phone your wife. Nothing wrong, hut ungent," Nothing indeed; the sheriff's officers had just arrived at his home to deliver a writ issued by Robert Maxwell demanding £500.000 damages against Hirst and the Glasgow Herald for an article slating Maxwell's working practices.

#### Orange red

Fulham by-election voters may be interested to know that Boyd Black, the Irishman standing on a ticket of opposition to the Hillsborough agreement, is a for-mer member of the British and Irish Communist Organisation. His campaign could well damage Tory prospects. When I asked him about his membership of BICO. Black, a lecturer at Queen's University, Belfast, replied shirtily: "Not correct. I will not talk to you if that is all you are interested in. Goodbye." His agent, Hugh Roberts, was a little more forthcoming: "He was indeed a member of BICO at one time, as well as a number of other discussion groups."

Richard Ford reports on the new suspicions over extradition of terrorist suspects

#### from Ireland after the Glenholmes fiasco -

Then Garret FitzGerald's coalition government appealed to the Supreme Court against such high court rulings. In 1982 a redefinition of Irish extradition law began. In the case of Dominic McGlinchey it was argued, as before, that the alleged offence in Ulster was political in intention. But the Irish Chief Justice ruled out that argument and laid down a test: such offences had to be committed "in what reasonable civilized people would regard as political activity". The Supreme Court added that present-day terrorist activity was the antithesis of what could reasonably be

regarded as political. A further redefinition occurred in the case of James Shannon. The Supreme Court said: "The IRA has anjured normal political activity in favour of violence and terrorism." In both cases the court ruled that the alleged offences could not be classified as political under the revised criterion. The judgments appeared to indicate that extradition would be granted for practically any bombings or murders carried out by the Provisional IRA.

However, despite this narrowing of the definition of what

The same month saw the collapse of perhaps the most important extradition case so far. Brendan Burns, wanted for the murder of five British soldiers in Northern Ireland, walked free from Dublin High Court after his constituted a political offence. detention was declared illegal. extradition was to remain an issue A day earlier 15 warrants of great controversy. McGlinchey,

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requesting his extradition issued the first terrorist extradited from by the RUC had been quashed by the South to the North - what's more, on St Patrick's Day 1984 -Northern Ireland's Lord Chief Justice. He ruled that they had not was found guilty in Belfast of the murder of an elderly postmistress been made by a police inspector under oath when they were iniin County Antrim in 1977. The tially issued by a justice of the burden of the prosecution case peace. Earlier warrants in the same case had also been defective. was based on fingerprint evidence; he appealed, and his conviction

Similar deficiencies have dog-ged the Glenholmes case. Politicians in the Republic believe that He was re-extradited to the Scotland Yard's errors have led to Republic amid much embarrassment in both the North and South the re-emergence of British prejudice in the belief that Dublin is and was subsequently jailed for ten years for shooting at the Garda reluctant to deal firmly with enorism. In December 1985 the second

Meanwhile the extradition question remains a delicate politiman sent to the North for an cal issue in the Republic. The coalition government backs the Supreme Court's re-interpretation accused of the murder of Sir but the opposition leader, Charles Norman Stronge, former Speaker of the Northern Ireland House of Haughey, dislikes it. He believes that the police and courts in Ulster are discredited. Commons, and his son James, at Tynan Abbey. Co Armagh, in

For Ulster Unionists the embarrassments of the weekend are manna from heaven. Anything which heaps trouble on the Thatcher and FitzGerald administrations after the Hillsborough agreement is warmly welcomed.

young people. The implication is that enterprise allowances should not be concentrated in Highfields, Leicester, while Notting Hill has to make do with training schemes

Where the Urban Programme has been focused on ethnic minor-ities, it has tended to fund various forms of "self-help" scheme. The assumption is that ethnie minorities are found only in communities, which have special needs, and the organization and leadership necessary to see these are met if only money is made available.

The truth is that ethnic minorities are not in "communities" any more than anyone else, even though they may face common problems. So-called "community" organizations are no more representative of ethnic groups than the Women's Institute is of all women. It would be much better if additional funding was used to ensure that local services and facilities were improved and offered equitably to all local citizens. The final assumption is perhaps

the most general, and holds that by targeting funds on training and self-employment, we will over-come the fears and frustrations that help to generate inner-city disorder. Even if jobs were availidence that discrimination still able there is overwheiming, evpersists.

This must be one factor in explaining two recent statistics from the West Midlands: Recently completed studies by Birmingham University show that of every 100 new jobs generated in the inner city, 83 went to commuters, not residents. Again, when Bir-mingham Careers Service submitthe coming months. in the public services. Can it be, should it be, measured? I have felt ted appropriately qualified and interested young people to the Construction Industry Training Board last year for entry to YTS training, 60 per cent of the whites were taken on but only 4 per cent

# Anne Sofer Caring about efficiency

"What you should be doing, Anne, is writing more about what is really going on inside the Alliance. The internal arguments are always the most interesting".

I am sure they are. There are plenty of people agog for stories of splits, rows, leads and punch-ups. Several full-time jobs have been created in both the Labour and Conversative party machines for the express purpose of seeking out such stories. They have not had much joy. Even the chairman of the Conservative Party, with all the resources of Central Office at his command, as well as his considerable personal store of vitriol, has not made much headway. Opinion polls show that the electorate judges both Tories and Labour to be far more disunited than the two Alliance parties.

The person who gave me the advice with which I opened this column is not, as far as I know, a paid political destabilizer. He made the suggestion as an objec-tive judge of good journalism with a concern for open public debate. I took it as a compliment to the SDP and the Alliance. He, like others, had no doubt noticed that we originated many of the best ideas of recent times. Thus, to find out what we are talking about behind closed doors today is to discover what the others will purion tomorrow.

The list of stolen clothes is impressive. The Tories' popular but highly controversial trade union legislation has been pro-moted under the banner of "Giving the unions back to their members"; this phrase was a direct lift from the SDP's 1982 green paper written by Roger Liddle, now the SDP candidate in Fulham. It was not just the slogan but the very concept of controlling trade union extremism through internal democratic processes that was ours to start with.

Similarly Labour, in recent attempts to fudge the commit-ments to Clause Four socialism, has looked to our proposals for decentralization for inspiration." The most recent example of daylight robbery is the proposal in last week's Budget for employee share ownership, and particularly the possible use of this innovation to avert inflationary pay settlements. This, as the Times Diary pointed out, is taken almost word for word from a recent book by David Steel and has also been extensively discussed in recent;

SDP publications. So I, like every other loyal member of the Alliance, has every. reason to remain tight-lipped about our internal debates, why should we give away any more good new ideas? However, goingaway presents are part of any good

wandering naturalist). Have you

ever noticed that Nature Notes are

always about common birds and

flowers? Things that we can all see? Well, I thought for a change we d have a nature column about

the very rare stuff that nobody

mentions until it's threatened with

Pride of place this March must go to Halley's Osprey, which comes back only every 76 years. A

otherwise you'd all want to go and

have a look and frighten the things

photograph of a coloured bird.

You have to remember that the

last photo of the bird was taken 76

been spotted somewhere in East

member of the Jewish community

in East London to whom I owe a

few favours. Apparently, accord-

ing to sightings, the parrol is fine

further reports as soon as possible.

Bachelor Bird has been spotted in

the Cotswolds. Even rarer than

Halley's Osprey because at least

yon get a pair of ospreys whereas the Bachelor Bird moves singly. It

does not even mate with its own

kind preferring to take an inno-cent cornerate out for the evening,

then leaving it to have the eggs by

We've also heard that the

go - send for the police.

off, wouldn't you?

extinction, and not always then.

when I have asked this question at Alliance meetings. Both Alliance parties contain many activists who work in the public sector nurses, social workers, teachers, civil servants. Most are admirable people with an altruistic commitment to public service - a constant reminder to the rest of us of why we are neither Conservatives nor socialists. They applaud with emotion when a party spokesman speaks of the equal importance of private enterprise and public service in the society we are working for. They, like their colleagues in other political parties, are very sore at the denigration and under-valuation that has been their lot in valuation that has been men for in recent years. They are under-standably aggrieved and defen-sive. And even where they are not themselves impoverished they are working with those who are: a feeling of moral outrage fuels a strong commitment to higher public spending. Psephological studies indicate

that this sector of society, the "Salariat" as it has been dubbed, is strong also in our electoral support. Through their unions, they have resisted the idea that productivity, particularly in the "caring" professions, can be in any way measured. The very language is inimical and inexplicably linked with the cold crucities of unrestrained capitalism. Yet there is little doubt that

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improving the effectiveness of the public services is one of our most urgent national priorities. The demands on them, particularly in the fields of health and education, are remorsefully mounting, to the extent that no realistic spending programme that any government is likely to put forward could satisfy them all, unless we find ways of doing more for every pound spent.

David Owen's book A United Kingdom, which comes out this week, is blunt about this. "Any government needs more ways of measuring and rewarding ef-ficiency in the public service , he says. And he explains the theory of the American economist Leiberstein based on "Xefficency", where "more output relative to input can be introduced without a reduction in input." To achieve this, "incentives must be well judged and the institutional framework geared to encouraging 

lenged. The very words ("incen-tives" "competition") have traditionally been anathema. But it is a debate that must be had and there is no other party in which to have it. Labour would not dare upset the public sector unions and the Conservatives are so discredited as the enemy of the public sector birthday party and the SDP, five years old tomorrow, is in celethat they would find it impossible to engage the very participants bratory and generous mood. So let me discuss an issue which will, 1 they need. Yet in most of the best public believe, be one source of lively servants, in their private assessdebate within the Alliance over ment of the job they are doing, there is a creative intelligence that This is the issue of productivity knows how it could be done better and is itching to try out new ways. I hope that the debate will help the emotional temperature rise liberate those ideas.

give way to prejudice

consider whether a prima facie case existed against anyone whose extradition was sought. Malcolm Cross calls for new thinking on help for Britain's inner-city blacks When pounds

#### Whole hog

No half measures for Lord Kimberley, Six times married. president of the Falmouth Shark Angling Club, he was expelled from the Liberal party for urging Liberals to vote Tory in marginal seats. Now his Tory credentials are impeccahle: he has just been made chairman of Cricklade Conservative Association in Wiltshire.

BARRY FANTONI POST OFFICE ARIBA You're right. Red hair looks better on the 20p

#### Hatton's castle

Charles Spencer, a regular for the past 25 years at the Gay Hussar restaurant in Soho. the haunt of famous left-wingers, rang to book his normal table only to be told abruptly to ring back later. Spencer exploded, and insisted his reservation be made immediately. Grudgingly, it was. When he arrived, owner Victor Sassie explained all: the restaurant was being used to film one of Channel 4's My Britain programmes, and the subject had answered the phone, His name? Derek Hatton.

#### Rod of iron

If teachers think life is tough today, they should take a look at the rules issued in 1915 for women teachers at the Tauranea School in New Zealand which a reader has just unearthed: "You will not marry during the term of your contract; you are not to keep company with men; you may not smoke cigarettes: you may not dress in bright colours; you may. under no circumstances, dye your hair, you must wear at least two petticoats; your dresses must not be any shorter than two inches above the ankle . . . PHS are seen as being best met. by support through pre-vocational training which comhines a remedial element with very basic. work disciplines.

Nothing could be further from the truth. The accumulating research evidence shows that young West Indians and Asians in the inner city entering YTS schemes are likely to have educational qualifications at least as high as those of whites. They are more enthusiastic than others about acquiring a skill, possibly as a result of parental pressure, and more prepared to forgo carnings in the short term for later career prospects. What are wanted therefore are schemes of the highest quality that genuinely provide the basis for skilled work or employment as independent craftsmen.

A second assumption is that the prohlems of the inner city work-less can be solved only in these run-down areas. Ethnic minorities are assumed to be located in the inner city entirely hy choice, and to be reluctant to move even short distances. The implication is that as employment declines with the relocation of production to other areas, so the opportunities for minorities are necessarily reduced. But there is no reason why training courses for ethnie minor-, ities should not be run in Winchester, or Cheltenham, or Norwich, where the chances of involving an employer with va-



Handsworth, September 1985: deprivation cannot be blamed for hlack resentment and violence - but racial bias can

training are so much greater.

It may be true that labour mobility is, in general, not as high as some would like - often for very good reasons (house prices, for example) but there is no evidence that ethnic minorities are less inclined than others to seek out opportunities wherever they occur. On the contrary, the recent report of a governmenifunded team led hy Professor John Eggleston confirmed findings by the Policy Studies Institute that West Indians in particular are willing to relocate for training or employment.

In focusing on "training and self-employment opportunities" there is an echo in the current approach of the view that the former is more suitable for West Indians and the latter for Asians. The assumption is that West Indians represent the new Irish

the message.

cancies in skilled work or further while Asians have all the virtues of the Jews for industry and enprepreneurial endeavour. Recent research in the United States by Dr Robin Ward of Aston Univer sity Management -Centre should guard us against these stereotypes. West Indians in New York, for example, are described colloquially as "hlack Jews" while selfemployed Asians working in the US are not disproportionately represented. It is much more likely that

migrants and minorities piek up opportunities wherever they find them, so any differences in selfemployment depend on what is available locally in terms of startup capital, trading opportunities and alternative prospects. The experience of Dr Ivan

Henry, who runs the Handsworth Employment Scheme in Birmingham, is that West Indians are at least as interested in selfemployment as any other group of

# Can Mr Reaganomics still hang on?

#### Washington

The authority of Paul Volcker, chairman of the United States Federal Reserve Board, arbiter of currencies. controller of inflations, reckoned by many to be the most powerful figure in international finance, has been undermined.

On Friday Preston Martin, vicechairman of the Reserve, noisily resigned to stake his claim (they are saying on Wall Street) to succeed to the chairmanship. His departure follows what can only be called a revolt against Volcker by four new governors of the Reserve, recently appointed by President Reagan. The stakes are high. The battles are over easy money, the tightness of monetary policy, how to keep inflation under control in an election year. In late February in a four-two

vote, with three abstentions, the governors of the Reserve made clear they no longer supported Volcker's overweening position at the central bank. He was forced to ice which sets money supply lower the discount rate in an targets, and so may expand or attempt to stimulate the sluggish contract economic growth. American economy.

Volcker was reported to be stunned. He had agreed reluctantly, at a meeting with Nigel Lawson in January, to lower the rate to 7 per cent if West Germany and Japan reduced their rates first. He did not want the United States to make the first move and risk -he believed - re-igniting the infla-

non which his tight money policy had all but squeezed out of the out this independent, sometimes irascihle man, Reaganomics might not have been so attractive.

Volcker persuaded his col-It was Volcker who decided, leagues to delay the announceearly in Reagan's first term, to ment until after the West German tighten the American economy by central bank, the Bundesbank, squeezing the money supply to the point that the United States, and said it would cut its discount rate. the world, were plunged into the Then came the American cut. At first it was said to be a unanimous worst recession since the Great decision by the Reserve's board; it Depression. Before the 1981-82 recession.

seemed indeed to have been initiated by Volcker himself. US inflation was running at an Later, news of the revolt leaked. annual rate of more than 15 per cent. In August 1982, to com-Martha Seegar, one of the governors who voted for the cut in pound the problems of domestic February, said, "The Federal Reinflation, a worldwide liquidity serve is not supposed to be a onecrisis broke. Mexico announced that it could not make payments person show. I would hope that is on its \$90 billion foreign debt.

It seemed that the Volcker era Volcker cohbled together a debt had ended. But the judgment may strategy. He convinced banks, be premature. He was after all able governments and the Interto convince his colleagues to hush national Monetary Fund to agree up the unprecedented revolt. He to a rescue programme for the remains in control of the beleaguered debtor nations. Reserve's Open Market Commit-

In 1982 be had the Federal Reserve change direction and increase the money supply. By luck or judgement it was the right Voicker's demise had been pretime. The monetary conditions viously announced. Three years sparked a surge of growth without ago the headlines were, "Will Volcker survive?" He did, despite generating price inflation. The sequence was compared to the rumours of antipathy to him and boom years of the early 1960s. his policies at the heart of the

White House. He was appointed Throughout, inflation has reto a second four-year term which mained Volcker's preoccupation. expires in 1987. Ronald Reagan In a recent, and optimistic, ecoeffectively acknowleged that withnomic report to Congress, he

of the West Indians. These differences, confirmed by studies on employer-based schemes at the Centre for Research in Ethnic Relations, are so great that unless an unrelenting attack is mounted on discrimination, whatever good is achieved elsewhere will count for little. What we should be discussing 10 years after the 1976 Race Relations Act is why it has proved to be so ineffectual. Do we need to re-consider the burden of proof, and perhaps follow the United States in requiring evidence of equitable

recruitment and promotion? Certainly we should not allow such ideas to be dismissed as "positive discrimination" when they are in fact only a more determined effort to overcome the negative variety. pair are nesting somewhere in Scotland this year, though of course we can't tell you where. C Times Net spapers. 1988.

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no. hang on, that's the egg. You'll have to excuse me here, because of course I've never seen the bird and warned that a sharp fall in the value of the dollar could bring I'm working from a reference book. The Osprey itself is a large inflation back. hlack and white bird, unless of

The Reagan-appointed "gang of four" - Preston Martin, Martha Seegar, Wayne Angell and Manuel Johnson - believe the message has been overdone. By their vote years ago when colour photography, was in its infancy, but it's a pretty fierce-looking bird, so if you and in speeches, they have let it be known that they favour an indo come across it, don't have a crease in the money supply. Their priority, the priority of most incumbent politicians, is to sus-Another piece of exciting news is that Hafelmayer's Parrot has tain the economic expansion. It has already gone into the eco-Anglia. You can't actually look up nomic textbooks as an outstand-Hafelmayer's Parrot in a bird ing phase of economic growth. To reference book, because there is keep growth going, they believe the supply of money should be actually no bird of that name-Hafelmayer is the name of the further loosened. owner, and he is a well-known.

The Reagan group is likely to seek lower interest rates to produce faster growth, at the expense, iater on, of accelerated inflation. but Mr Hafelmayer is pining away without him, so I would welcome This is anathema to Voicker, and some think he will resign.

But his craft is not yet ex-hausted. He is now likely to regroup. His skills were shown m the 1970s with the so called "Volcker Agreement" which effected a 10 per cent devaluation of the dollar and the temporary flotation of the Japanese yea. He may yet divide and conquer the Reserve's less experienced board.

Bailey Morris itself in a single-parent nest strua-tion. The Bachelor Bird is heart-

moreover . . . Miles Kington Rara avis and friends Helio! (writes Sheenshank, our

less and frivolous. It stays in London all week and flies out to the country early on Friday to heat the crowds. Its call is a rasp of pleasure; if yon meet it don't believe a word it says.

A small outbreak of Taylor Woodrow Orchids has been reported from the site of the intended A444(M) Extension, This extremely rare orchid, bright yellow is known to grow only on the sites of mtended motorways. It usually starts breeding after the motorway plans have been drawn up, as if in some mysterious way it knew that the protesters would need it. On the other hand, it may just have been planted overnight

by some ecological lobby. One of the most uncommon of all butterflies has been seen during these first warm days of spring. It's Hatelmayer's Butterfly and it doesn't belong to anyone in the East End. It was discovered by a German of that name, and what is course it's a hlack and white unusual about it is that it flies dead straight. Most unusual. Unfortunately, that's all it can do: fly straight, it can't turn round or bend or anything, so it just keeps on travelling. It was spotted near Leeds on the 16th, Luton on the 18th and Guildford on the 19th, so anyone sailing the Channel right now, keep a look-out for a butterfly heading south.

I have just had a phone call from a reader who says he thinks he may have spotted Hafelmayer's Parrot and wants to know if it has been taught to say anything. Yes, it has picked up several phrases from Mr Hafelmayer's daily conversation: the main ones are "All right, already", and "How's business?", "Don't ask!" and "We. must meet for lunch".

Finally, a totally new insect which lives only in menus in nouvelle cuisine restaurants. It's so new that it hasn't even got a name yet, but in some way which we don't understand it scems able to live off the fat rich prose of the menu-writing. These insects are white and tiny. and are absolutely delicious if glazed in a raspberry and turnip sauce, served with thinly sliced fennel or, if you can't get feanel, a nice plate of ess bacon and chips would do just as well. Good spotting!

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Anglican record

From the Chairman of the Redun-

Sir. The facts do not support Mr

Freeman's attack (March 15) upon the Church of England's record of

The heritage is, indeed, excep-tional - 17.000 church huildings,

of which no less than 11,900 are

listed - hut so is the record of care. The Church of England finds,

mainly through the giving of its congregations, over £50 million each year for the upkeep and

The Church has had a system of

statutory control over demolitions

since 1252, i.e., 700 years earlier

than the introduction of town and

couotry planning - and it has had

a separate statutory system for the regular inspection of churches

since 1604. Today it has, in the pastoral measure, a carefully worked out

and effective, statutory regime for

the care and control of churches

which are no longer needed for

worship. It is only when a demo-lition is carried out under the

authority of a scheme made under

that measure that Parliament has

absolved the Church from the

requirement 10 seek listed build-

The result of these arrange-ments - which have been re-viewed aod confirmed hy

Parliament three times in the last

15 years - is, as the independent English Heritage Monitor records, that a listed Church of England

church has a chance of avoiding

demolition three times better than

The future of 1.053 redundant

churches (not all of them listed)

has been settled since 1969 when

the measure took effect. Three quarters are still standing. Over

half of them have been found new

uses, often for the benefit of the

wider community - as indeed in

the case of the three specific

examples which Mr Freeman

in the care of the Reduodant

Churches Fund, jointly financed by Church and State, Two hon-

dred and sixty-six which did not

merit preservation by the fund

have, it is true, been demolished.

But only because no alternative use could be found and after statutory consultation with the

local planning authority, amongst

Sixty-two of the 266 were listed,

but no listed church has been

demolished against the advice of

the Advisory Board for Redun-dant Churches, an independent,

statutory, expert body appointed by the archbishops after consulta-

tion with the Prime Minister,

comprising people of national distinction in the field of

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## DEATH WARRANTS

and streets of Dublin was a sharp and frightening illustration of the problems faced by the rule of law, in bringing terrorism to book. Such societies can accept the existence of political parties which - like Sinn Fein - come as close as a windy piece of rhetoric to endorsing murder and bombs. Such societies have no alternative to the rule of law, even when that means the rule of cramped and precise legal rules.

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Proper procedure may sometimes, like Saturday, have its price. The smirk, the ugly grin, on the face of Evelyn Glenholmes' lawyers; the looks of helplessness on the faces of the Irish policemen, desperate in their efforts to bring an accused person to justice, were what society must sometimes live with, a cost to be borne for the freedom that defines its civility.

Saturday will bring recrimination. It will bring mirth from the IRA. It will be seized on by Ulster Unionists who do not want to believe that the Republic is, like the Every back-street Dublin law-United Kingdom, a phuralist yer knew that the process of and the Irish police.

Saturday's farce in the courts society based on laws. It ought to bring, and urgently, reviews of procedure in London. It is difficult to imagine the account of events that must be given to Parliament this week that can omit a promise by ministers to discipline anyone

who performed the apparently so slipshod work on so weighty a document as the warrant for Glenholmes. No sentimental code of Whitehall tolerance should protect the official, officials, or police officers who might be responsible. The reply to every exculpation, every "form of words" is short. That warrant accuses Glenholmes of bloody murder

on the streets of the capital. The inquest has to range widely. To the Foreign Office, for example. Why has British legal representation in Dublin been so lacking ? Why, when the British Government can muster teams of silks to represent it in big cases in Strasbourg has legal nous apparently been missing in the judicially simple (but politi-cally so sensitive) case of extradition from the Republic.

Glenholmes' appeal up through the Irish judicial system was to have been a further test of the Supreme Court's all too recent dictum forbidding terrorists from claiming "political" defence. Glenholmes' lawyers would have claimed that the alleged offence of murdering a British soldier fell inside the Irish courts' criterion of "reasonable" political activity. That test is for the time being lost.

But there is an opportunity from Saturday, too. No government enjoys the service of perfect servants. Neither British nor Irish politicians can guarantee the adherence of judges to their political priorities: that is the cost and the beauty of judicial independence. There is, in short, common cause to be made.

For Mrs Thatcher it is a damage limitation exercise. When she turns to Ulster the point is simple. This incident. so unnecessary, says nothing about the sincerity of the Irish government, the effectiveness of cross-border haison, or the good faith of Dr FitzGerald

## A TALE OF TWO CITIES (AND A ROCK)

terms used by Señor Fernan-

dez Ordonez is anyway to state

something of a half-truth. A

colony it may be, hut the

passions surrounding it are not

those normally thought of as

colonial. Its inhabitants are

hardly an oppressed people

whose path to independence --

blocked by the government in

Britain. The reason why the

Rock remains British is that its

people want it so. Their wishes

are clear. Under the 1969

Gibraltar constitution the

United Kingdom undertook to

respect them. The result is that

Treaty of Utrecht more than

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"return" to Spain - is

Spain's foreign minister Senor Francisco Fernandez Ordonez has complained that Gibraltar is the last remaining colony in Europe. As such, he says, the promontory is a "morally intolerable" anachronism.

The "colonialist" taunt is, often a convenient one. The Spanish foreign minister is not the first to use it in generalised abuse and he will not be the last. Nonetheless, coming from the representative of a country with the last remaining European colonies in Africa, it is a little rich.

Those colonies are the city enclayes of Centa and Melilla. surrounded by Morocco on the the sovereignty of Gibraltar, ceded to Britain under the North African coast. Calling them colonies is likely to provoke the red-blooded 270 years ago, remains an issue between London and Madrid. Spaniard to protest. They are, Spaniards insist, an integral part of mainland Spain - and so heated during the 1970s was have been since before Mothe fault of General Franco.

rocco existed. ... He closed the frontier between On the other hand they are Spain and Gibraltar in 1969. claimed by King Hassan of Morocco. Some 19,000 Span-

To describe Gibraltar in the at La Linea, then crossed for the first time into Gibraltar to discuss in situ cooperation over use of Gihraltar's airport. Spain's refusal to grant overflying rights for British military aircraft and the status of Spanish citizens using the airport before crossing into Spain are two issues still to be resolved.

> Both Spain's entry into the European Community at the start of the year and the recent referendum which so clearly confirmed the country's membership of Nato have helped to erode differences. Gradually, over a period of time, the question of whose flag flies above the Rock should become less relevant. The concern of the Gibraltarians should become less acute. For the time being however sovereignty cannot enter the arena of discussions. Neither the option of ceding the Rock's sovereignty then leasing it

From Mr J. F. Garner Sir, In his Budget speech the Chancellor referred to the report of the House of Lords Committee on Overseas Trade as predicting that "as the oil revenues diminish the country will experience ad-verse effects which will worsen with time." He continued: "If we can survive unscathed the loss of half our North Sea oil revenues io less than 25 weeks, then the prospective loss of the other half over the remainder of the next 25 years should oot cause us undue concern." The purpose of this argumeot

was then to deny that the long-term decline in oil production from now oo would have an adverse effect oo the UK ecooomy by means of a comparison with the halving of the price of oil in receot months. In fact the recent fall in oil

prices in no way negates the Committee's hostile conclusion about the validity of the Chancellor's arguments.

At the moment we are a small net exporter of oil in relatioo to gross domestic product. Most of the effects of a price change in oil

must therefore be considered as operating within our economy. Businesses benefit from lower costs and the general expansion in world demand but the Government loses some tax revenues. There is likely to be a redistribution of profits from oil companies to manufacturing industry.

The Chancellor is thus correct in stating that the present price fall is likely to have a small effect, except for external receipts, on the economy. His argument is utterly false, however, when applied to a future reduction in the volume of North Sea oil produced. When this occurs and we become again a large importer of oil we will need a strong manufacturing trade surplus to pay for it.

It is precisely the lack of such a surplus to which the House of Lords Committee referred. The Chancellor's argument does not impinge upon this problem at all and is a weak attempt at sub-

Yours faithfully, J.F. GARNER Corpus Christi College, Oxford. March 19.

From Mr S. E. Scammell Sir, It is now seven years since a Conservative Chaocellor expressed a strong view on the iniquity of a capital levy (at 30 per cent) on gains that were non-existent in real terms being merely a reflection of inflation.

That the inflation had been debiberately launched by a Conservative Government in the socalled "dash for growth" and then

Prescription charges

## **LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

#### Reflections on the Budget

ran out of control rendered such a levy even more objectionable, but the Chancellor did not need to refer to that: he condemned it quite rightly on the general principle. It can, therefore, only be a matter for disgust that yet another Budget has failed to remedy the position. Briefly, property or other

investments, that have done oo more than maintain their realvalue to line with the price index. if acquired since March, 1982 suffer oo sale no such tax. If already held at April 5, 1965 they suffer on sale tax at 30 per cent io respect of the inflation from 1965 to 1982, which as a matter of arithmetic will take almost exactly 20 per cent of the sale-price. If acquired between 1965 and 1982 they suffer tax proportionately. If a Conservative Government

maintains unamended a capital confiscation of such dimensioos, oever before seen in any save communist countries, there will be little criticism that the party can offer when dealing with anticapital measures proposed by the

Labour Party. The amendment could be easily made, either by substitutiog "1965 or later date of acquisition" for "1982" io the 1982 Act or (a more rough and ready method) hy exempting all sales under compulsory purchase and all sales of assets that had been held for 10 (or 12 or 20) years. There would be little loss of

revenue, since except in case of an enforced sale the effect of the tax is to freeze such assets until death, wheo they can be sold without this liability. Yours faithfully. S.E. SCAMMELL,

Steeple Close, East Knoyle, Salisbury, Wiltshire March 20.

> From Dr Sebastian Kraemer Sir, A return to full wage and salary employment is a mirage fostered by post-war growth, and while the Conservative Government has done better than its rivals to bring this home no other political party is going to reverse the post-industrial trend signifi-

cantly. But while there are so many out of work it is obscene to reduce tax for those with income instead of increasing benefits. It may seem a futile gesture but 1 wonder how many people would be prepared to take advantage of another of Mr Lawson's innovations and donate I per cent of their taxable income to charity. Yours faithfully.

SEBASTIAN KRAEMER, 59 Brixton Water Lane, SW2. March 18.

have fallen for 1-7 per ry "real" terms as compared with



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MARCH 24 1934 Some talk of Arkle. Red. Rum and other steeplechasers but to many horse lovers there is none that can compare to Golden Miller, winner of the Grand National (carrying

of the Grand National (carrying 12st 21bs) in 1934 and the Chettenham Gold Cup in 1932, 33.. 34, 35, 36. He was sold as o yearting in Dublin for 105 guineas and was bought by Miss Dorothy. Paget for £6,000. He won 29 races, in all worth £15,000, his last race being in 1939, finally being put down in 1957 at the age of 30.

THE GRAND NATIONAL

VICTORY OF GOLDEN MILLER

FROM OUR RACING CORRESPONDENT Miss Dorothy Paget won the Grand National at Aintree yesterday with her exceptionally good-looking horse Golden Miller, a seven-year-old gelding by Goldcourt out of Miller'a Pride, trained by Basil Briscoe and ridden by G. Wilson, Goldeo Miller, who started at 8 to 1 against, won by five lengths from Delaneige, who in turn was five lengths in front of

The conditions for the race were ideal, for the going was as good as going can be, and the light was so clear that the colours, even through ordinary glasses, could he seen with case even at the far end of the course. It seemed to be generally agreed that the quality of the field was rather below that of any good year, but at the same time thera was in the field more than one very good-looking horse. Golden Miller s a handsome steeplechaser, but I must admit that I thought before the race that he would not stay the distance over which the race was run or jump the country.... Almost as soon as the field were lined up they were sent off on their long journey. Unfortunately Trocadero lost considerable round, Southern Hero, Southern Hue, Forbra, Delaneige, and Gregalach going to the first fence in front. At once there was a tragedy, for no fewer than five of the starters came down. . . . By the time that the Canal turn was reached there was still a great number of horses standing, with Southern Hue in front. By the time that the water-jump was reached more than 20 of the 30 starters were still oo their feet. I have neve seen so many horses in this race approach this jump so close

together. DELANEIGE IN

THE LEAD Just before the Arm Chair Fence Cantillius II had falleo and Delancige just led Forbra and Gregalach over the water-jump. So the field, with considerably more than helf standing, went out into the country for the second time: One hy one the field oow began to be reduced either by falls or by the horses falling back beaten. Grega-lach began to lose ground and faded away, and by the time that the Canal Turn was reached for the econd time Forbra, Golden Mille who had always been going really well, jumping with ease and gallop-ing without effort, and Delaneige had drawn away from the field Really True was fourth. By the time that Valentine's was reached Really True had drawn up, and was within challenging distance of the three leaders. Ready Cash was also well placed, while Thomond II ridden for speed, there being douht as to whether be, being by Drinmore, would stay the distance - was closing with the leaders. When the racecourse was reached Thomond II was with the other three and oo ooe on the Stands could say which of the four would win. Personally I thought that the winner would be Thomond I, who is very fast, and had been riddeo as perfectly as any horse can be ridden by Speck. Even this great rider has never ridden a better race Still, like all jockeys of distinction. even he could not come without the horse, and approaching the penulimate fence. Thomond 11 was in trouble, as was Forbra. The race was then between Golden Miller and Delaneige, and when Golden Miller hit the top of this fence hard it seemed certaio to me that Delaneige, who had never been out of the first three, would win. It is very rare for a horse to hit a fence in this race at so late a stage and still stand, let along have anything left, but Golden Miller did not fall, and ran on as if nothing had happened. Delaneige approached the last fence with a slight lead, but before he was over it Golden Miller had passed him, landed first on the Flat. and drew away to win by five lengths.... Miss Paget brought her horse into the unsaddling enclosure. Owners are essential to racing, but Miss Paget would be the first to acknowledge that she owes everything to the horse, his trainer and rider....The only individual who comes badly out of the argument is myself, for I admit that I never thought that Golden Miller would stay the distance of the race or that he would jump the course. The time for the race was a record, the best previous time, that of last year, being beaten by nearly Ssec. Golden Miller is without any doubt a very fine winner of the greatest steeplechase in the world....

conservation. However, no system is perfect and that is why the Department of the Environment and ourselves are looking at ways in which the non-statutory public inquiries can be improved to become an even more effective forum for weighing all points of view in particularly difficult cases. Yours faithfully SANDFORD, Chairman. Redundant Churches Committee, I Millbank, SWI. March 21.

ish troops are garrisoned in each to protect them from his clutches. The parallel between their situation and that of Gibraltar on the far side of the straits (Ceuta is almost exactly opposite) is irresistible - and frequently drawn, not least by the government in Rabat. Hassan has made it perfectly clear that if and when the day should come for the Spanish flag to flutter over Gibraltar, he expects to start hoisting his own over Ceuta and Melilla.

Forty years ago today the BBC

began broadcasting to the So-

vict Union in Russian. Those

first broadcasts met a need for

information - truthful, bal-

anced, sometimes uncomfort-

able information - with which

the Soviet authorities did not

see fit to trust their people. The

Soviet system is, essentially,

unchanged. And that is the

reason the Russian Service of

the BBC is as necessary as it

Yet the BBC's broadcasts in

Russian have not survived

without a struggle. The Rus-

sian Service has had to com-

pete for support against the

other language services of the

BBC. That has been healthy

competition. But the External

Services as a whole have also

had to take their chances

against the internal spending

priorities of the Foreign Office.

ordered in the Foreign Office,

the grant-in-aid which pays for

Bush House has appeared all

too often at the top of the list.

It is hard to escape the

impression that Whitehall re-

gards a second consulate here,

retention of a governor's house

there, as more palpable ex-

When cost cutting has been

was in 1946.

but far from making the colony fall like "ripe fruit" into his lap (as he predicted), the blockade bardened the attitudes of those who lived there and made them less inclined than ever to change landlords. That the issue has since cooled is a tribute to the good sense of Franco's successors who have reopened the frontier and begun the process of normalising cross-border relations.

Earlier this month officials from Britain and Spain met for one of their periodic sessions FOR THE LISTENERS IN THE EAST

pressions of British influence

abroad than broadcasts from

But it is not only financial

difficulties that have dogged

the BBC's broadcasting in

Russian since the beginning.

The Russian Service has also

had to contend with the im-

placable hostility of the Soviet

authorities towards those who

broadcast in a language its

provide facilities to visiting

journalists to cover any but

official events. Whole areas of

Soviet life are effectively out of

bounds. Secondhand reports

cannot be checked and the

accuracy of information ob-

tained unofficially has to be

assessed according to experi-

ence, precedent and instinct,

In such circumstances it is to

the BBC's credit that its

reputation for news-gathering

The Soviet authorities show

the same hostility to those of

its citizens who wish to listen

to foreign broadcasts. In many

Soviet cities it is virtually

impossible to listen regularly

to the BBC's broadcasts be-

and analysis remains so high.

The Soviet Union does not

people understand.

the BBC.

TEDICsents an acceptable course for as long as the people of Gibraltar say "no."

back nor the two-flag, so-called

"Andorra ' solution'

This might seem unreasonable in Madrid. But to pretend that the status of Gibraltar can be otherwise is to deny reality. If Spain wants to realise its long-term objective it will have to win the confidence of the Gibraltar people - a process which will take patience and time. It will not be helped by words like those of Senor Ordonez.

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agreement.

From the Director of the Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry

Sir, Your correspondent, John Weatherill (March 14), noted reports that the recent 20p increase in prescription charges (which is equivalent to about 5 per cent in "real", retail price index-adjusted, terms) is exactly in line with the rising costs of medicines.

He then goes on to express his concern, based on this information, that medicines must be taking a rising share of the NHS's limited resources and that consequently other areas of care must be suffering cuts.

In fact, for this year (1985-86) the available data indicate that NHS medicine costs, as expressed in manufacturers' returns, will

#### Money for farmers

is a compliment. It is also a From Mr A. Harrison Sir, Your leading article (March violation of individual lib-II) calling for "much more basic erties and should be recthinking" on Europe's farm sur-plases strikes right at the beart of ognized as such more than it has been. The BBC's relucthe matter: "Grain support levels have been reduced, but with tance to have the government protest on its behalf - lest it be technical advance, the yield still seen as the creature of the state increases."

- is understandable, but over-This "technical advance" has idealistic. Unless protests are been a doubling of nitrate fertiliser applications within the last 10 voiced, and loudly, in the years. Because nitrate earns a course of Anglo-Soviet diplofinancial return of 400 per cent 10 macy and not just at inter-1,000 per cent, depending oo the national broadcasting forums, crop, farmers have responded to static or falling farm prices by using more of it, until some 40 per From time to time an insidcent of crop and grassland produc-tion in the UK alone is now directly attributable to fertiliser ious argument is heard in Britain. Jamming so reduces the impact of broadcasting to

the Soviet Union that the Europe's farm politicians are plainly mistaken in assuming that money would be better spent farm price levels are the chief on other things. To accept this cause of surplus production. Our Mioister of Agriculture is now looking at methods of "setting Soviet pressure. It would be to aside" God's green acres, presumably so that yet more of our food production can be based on oitrate - a pollutant derived from our dwindling reserves of North Sea 1984-85. This means that NHS medicine costs have declined relative to those of other types of NHS activity. Your readers should, however,

note that in "real" terms NHS prescription charges have increased by over 500 per cent since the start of 1979. This ourstrips the rise in overall NHS medicine spending recorded between the early 1950s and the present day, during which period most of the current life saving aod enhancing pharmaceuticals have been inroduced. Yours faithfully JOHN GRIFFIN, Director, The Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry, 12 Whitehall, SW1.

It would surely be more farsighted to place severe EEC restrictions on the use of nitrates. with a compensatory farm price adjustment, perhaps to real 1980 levels? Yours faithfully A. HARRISON, Morrelhirst, Netherwitton Morpeth, Northumberland. March 11.

#### The 'workers'

March 17.

From Dr Robert J. Doig Sir, I was most interested by Mr Toomey's letter (March 11), on the unfortunate divisive term 'managers aod workers."

For long I have thought one secret of German economic success is that they doo't talk of employers and employees: (ooe employs a shovel).

They have Arbeitgeber and Arbeitnehmer - work giver and work acceptor. If only Eoglish had suitable words. Yours faithfully ROBERT J. DOIG, 9 Court Lane, Dulwich, SE21. March 11.

consent of Westminster) has agreed with all other Community governments on the starting date

of Summer Time. Equally, it has been made clear by the British Government that there has been no agreement with our European partners on when to put the clocks back. So that this year summer time will end in the UK and Ireland on Sunday October 26 and in the other 10 Community countries on Sunday. September 28. Yours faithfully ROGER BROAD. Head of London Office, European Parliament. Queen Anne's Gate, SWI. March 17.

#### Accused of rape

From Mr Philip Mickelborough Sir, Rape is a terrible crime; there is aoother. however, which must be even worse. That is the gaoling, perhaps for life. of an innocent man for a rape which might not even have occurred.

The effect of merely a false

accusation of rape on a man and his family, whether the accusation is made for revenge, money or attention, would be devastatiog even if he is not convicted, as it is rarely possible for a man so accused to prove his innocence even if there is no evidence on which he could be found guilty. The publication of the name of a man wrongly accused, whether mistakenly or maliciously, would itself be a great and irreversible injustice. Perhaps those clamouring for

the publication of defendants' names and anonymity for the victims could remember that in some cases the victim and the defendant are one and the same person. Yours faithfully,

PHILIP MICKELBOROUGH, 39 Kingsbury Street, Marlborough, Wiltshire March 14.

#### Guessing game

From Mr Philip McLaughlin Sir. Mr Philip Pettifor (March 13) appears to have misinterpreted the relevance of his son describing multiple choice examination papers as "multiple guess". While he amusingly enquires

whether "the pin is mightier thao the pen", it is nevertheless a fact that it is all too easy to learn data hut be unable to recall it due to inhibitory factors such as stress or nerves. Recognition prompts the mind into retrieval of the stored knowledge. That his son terms such a process "multiple guess" is ev-idence of a cri de coeur to the effect that he is lacking in knowledge, by a simple use of logic. There is still time to help, Mr Pettifor! Yours faithfully,

PHILIP McLAUGHLIN, 468 Tollcross Road. Glasgow. March 13,

#### All-rounder

From Mrs Audrey Shepherd Sir, I have done 23 jobs in the last 35 years — housekeeper, cook, cleaner, chauffeur, mother's help, kennel maid, laundry maid, valet. shoe shine girl, window cleaner. dressmaker. upholsterer. gardener. concrete mixer. painter/decorator. plasterer. carpenter, plumber's mate, shorthand typist, telephonist, receptionist, bookkeeper, car park attendant and, incidentally, all for one boss/husband. Yours faithfully, AUDREY SHEPHERD, Woodside, Upper Oakley, Diss, Norfolk.

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#### Weakness at A level From Miss Anne Dreydel

Sir, So long as we continue the Alevel system, with its concentration on three subjects in the final school years, in contrast to every other nation, science pupils will tearn no English, arts pupils no mathematics or science after the age of 10, and only a minute proportion will learn a foreign language or history; no wonder maths teaching al primary school is parchy and generations of stadents declare "I'm like my family - so good at languages". Educationists like the idea of "breadth" in principle but are nervous of losing "depth", and university dons assume - quite least as strong in their higher

mistakenly - that candidates are stronger in their entry subjects for having given so much time to them; hence, they argue, our threeyear university courses compared with four or more years in other countries. (There are quite other reasons for our shorter university courses.) \_

For seven years I watched year groups of 90 students taking either A levels in three subjects or the International Baccalaurcat with its six subjects - three at higher and three at subsidiary level, plus theory of knowledge and an extended essay.

As we expected, the IB students had "breadth" but, significantly, they also had "depth", being at

levels as the A-level groups in the same subjects.

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They have likewise done as well or better - at university later.

would be to capitulate to

fail the many Russians who

try, despite the risk, to acquire

that most dangerous political

This in fact accords with most people's experience. We are oot necessarily best at the things we spend most time on. Learning to work quickly is surely a valuable skill in itself, whether preparing the dinner or achieving linency in a language.

So a broader based schoolleaving examination demands and gets - more from the candidates, along with the satisfaction that comes from working most

effectively. ANNE DREYDEL, 11 Moreton Road, Oxford.

Sir, For the Diary Publishers'

simply untrue.

## Diaries at odds From the Head of the London Office of the European Parliament

Association to claim (March 15) that confusioo over the start of British Summer Time is, variously, the fault of the Home Office, the Government and EEC harmonisation is simply an at-tempt to confound their own confusion. To add that there is "no harmonisation anyway" is

The muddle into which British diary publishers have got themselves is even less understandable when one recalls that since 1981 the British Government (with the

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### COURT **CIRCULAR** BUCKINGHAM PALACE

March 22: Dr John Clayton had the honour of being received by The Queen at Windsor Castle when Her Majesty invested him with the Insignia of a Commander of the Royal Victorian Order

Mrs Stanley Finbow had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty invested her with the Insignia of a Member of the Royal Victorian Order.

Mr Herbert Long had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty pre-sented to him a Bar to the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver).

Mr James Juffs had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty deco-rated him with the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver).

The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, President of the Save the Children Fund, this evening allended a Rock Gospel Concert al the Royal Albert Hall. Mrs Richard Carew Pole was io attendance.

Mr C.J.P. Lewson and Lady Caroline Lowther

The engagement is annouoced between Charles, only son of Colonel Sir John Lawson, BL, and the late Lady Lawson, of Sologrande, Cadiz, Spain, and Caroline, daughter of the Earl of Lonsdale, of Askham Hall, Baneith Cumberland, and the

March 23: Miss Jane Langton had the honour of being re-ceived by The Queen at Windsor Castle and took leave upon her retirement from service in the Royal Household as Registrar of the Royal Archives, when Her Majesty invested her with the Insignia of a Commander of the Royal Victorian Order

Mr Stephen West and Mr Frank Cutts had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty decorated them with the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver).

evening to visit Rio de Janeiro. Her Royal Highness was re-ceived at the Airport by His Excellency Senhor Mario Gib-son-Barborg (Receiber Arthur

son-Barboza (Brazilian Ambassador) and Senhora Gibson-Barboza and Senhor Paul de Jagy (Brazilian Airlines Varig. General Manager UK).

Lady Greenock gave birth 10 a son in London on March 16. A memorial service for Mr B.T. Aikman will be held in the Queen's Chapel of the Savoy at 2.30 today.

The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark Phillips, attended by Mrs Rich-ard Carew Pole and Lieutenani-Colonel Peter Gibbs, left Heathrow Airport, London this

The engagement is announced between Nicholas, only son of

Most of the events in the Bible, in both the Old and New Testaments. happen out of doors. The Palm Sunday stories told this week, and virtually any other passages at which the Bible might randomly fall open, are descriptions of open air events. In striking and disturbing contrast

"religion" is supposed to "happen" in contemporary Britain behind closed if not locked doors, usually doors with intersecting parabolic eurves at the top. It is presumed to be coofined to special and distinct buildings, which is

why proposals to lear down or sell such huildings invariably cause such pain in the local community. The actual remov-al of the place where "religion happens" is a symbolic removal of religion itself. What is left is a secular desert, not only on the latest street map hut also in

the mental landscape, which Gerard Manley Hopkins called the inscape of the mind. It is quite unimportant whether a

particular ecclesiastical building has recently been much used. The removal of the police station or magistrates' court would in the same way symbolize the weakening of justice and law in principle, not just a longer detour next time their services are required and regardless of whether their services have

been recently required at all. This is the dilemma which faces the Church of England generally, and which faces equally the Methodist Church in parts of Cornwall, and the Roman Catholic Church in parts of Liverpool or Glasgow.

None of them really believes that religion happens only in church. But the population does. And this is a key issue behind recent discussion of the church in the inner city, an issue fudged in last year's Anglican report, Faith in the City, and fudged every time the local archdeacon is faced with invidious choices between resources, manpower, and huildines

The Church of England's problem of

huilding not far away which would greatly benefit from a merging of resources. It is almost always true, too, Dinners Order of St John The Council of the Order of St John in Greater Manchester

John in Greater Manchester gave a dinner on Saturday io St John House, Fallowfield, to mark the eightieth birthday of Lieutenant-Colonel H.E. Hole, honorary appeals officer, Dame Kathleen Ollerenshaw presided and Mr David Adams, area and Mr David Adams, area commissioner, also spoke. The Lord Lieutenant of Greater Manchester and Lady Downward were among those present.

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Churches as sacred symbols

in the secular desert

obvious slums and has to decide what to

do with buildings with some merits and

some prospects of useful rehabilitation.

So church buildings now selected for

redundancy have survived the first

wave. Often the congregation has

already merged with neighbours or moved from nearby, at least once before. Such churches usually have

architectural merit, and often some important historical significance in the

local community or in the life of the

Cases recently aired in the correspon-dence columns of The Times are typical.

St George's-in-the-East, Wapping, the nearest ecclesiastical neighbour of this

newspaper, was the subject of a similar

case-study in *The Speciator*. Numerous cases exist which have had no such airing, hut which present the same problems.

The Church of England is usually

sensitive to the feelings of local people that "their" church in the High Street,

whether they use it much or not, is an

important part of their landscape (and

inscape). It is often said to be part of

what being a national church is all

But at the same time, the doctrine of

economic self-sufficiency is felt to have

some weight. This means that a church huilding which is not adequately sup-

ported and maintained by the parish, in

most cases because the cost of repair is

too high, has to be disposed of on the

It is almost always true, in the inner

city at least, that there is another church

best terms available.

church itself.

about.

Engineering Industry Training

Dresent

The Lord Mayor of London, Sir Allan Davis, was the principal guest at a dioner last night in the Banqueting House, Whitehall,

surplus buildings has become acute. It has passed the point of declaring that the church as an institution has a list of things it would like to do but redundant those huildings which were cannot without an injection of capital obviously redundant, and is now faced from the sale of under-used and with the difficult cases, just as inner city expensively maintained buildings. housing clearance has removed the

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The medievals understood the importance of the church as a landmark. The church spire advertised at a glance to the peasants working on the land where exactly was the altar with the Sacrament reserved. It was a constant reminder that the "holy" was present in their everyday midst, the merging of inscape and landscape in one symbol.

He was a gentle, mild-man-The medieval church spire, viewed nered man with the heart and from outside hut close to, employed a mind of an innovator. He elever trick of perspective. It could be seen as what it physically was, a shallow cone; or as an infinite vertical column, a came into tennis with what seemed at the time to be an irrelevant background in radio solid pillar tying earth to heaven, with communications and technolaltar and Sacrament at its root.

ogy in general, but was later 10 It was an architectural sermon on the apply that scientific bent 10 his chosen sport in ways that eucharist, preached to all who looked that way. It was not necessary to enter it, made him a pioneer of much to get the message. So the edifice was He competed at Wimhle-don from 1932 to 1951 and in only a handsome means to an end, not

itself a sacramental presence. What has happened in the present day 1938 played two Davis Cup singles for Britain against is that the bricks and mortar or stone have themselves taken on this sacramentality, and they themselves now represent the sacredness they were Romania at Harrogate. As a player he was industrious and originally built to contain and locate. It a thinker, and he was always is as if human psychology demands sacramentalism in connection with religion one way or another, and if it cannot have it overily, in a high mediaeval doctrine of the Real Presence graduated from the City and Guilds of London Polytechnic, taking his finals in radio communications and technion the attar, it has to have it surreptitiously, as the vaguer "real presence" of an architectural structure cal electricity. and the very air within. And therefore the removal of such symbols stir up the profoundest feelings.

The Church of England's management of its resources, so disnistively sometimes called "plant", repeatedly sumbles into collision with these unexpressed intuitions. It cannot expect duction and the Air Ministry. He designed and constructed to be excused when it handles them player. clumsily.

Clifford Longley OBITUARY MR C. M. JONES Influential tennis player, coach and analyst Mr C. M. "Jimmy" Jones, who died on March 22 at the age of 73, was an influential

player, coach, psychologist,

technologist, journalist and as

the author of more than 30

"Jimmy" Jones as he was

universally known, brought to

all his labours an original and

deeply analytical hrain fired

by inexhaustible enthusiasm.

books.

Later he used his expertise in technology to conceive a computer programme to record and analyse the details figure in the world of tennis record and analyse the details who made his mark as a and pailerns of competitive tennis and also to devise tests of the players' reaction times. Jones was never superficial.

His enquiring mind and searching questions explored the ioner workings of the game and its players. He even created a course for improving anticipation and concentra-tion. His special knowledge of psychology was applied to his related roles as coach, writer, lecturer and consultant.

Players to benefit from his advice included such one-time Wimbledon celebrities as Christine Truman, Angela Buxton and Sven Davidson.

In 1964 Jones was captain and manager of the Rhodesian Davis Cup team. In his later years he and Miss Buxton became joint principals of a eoaching centre at Hampsicad.

Jones edited four magazines: British Lawn Tennis & Squash (1939-76), Tennis (1976-78), Top Tennis (1978-85), and British Bowls, later known as Horld Bowls which he founded in 1954.

As a writer on one sport or the other he contributed to the Daily Mirror, Daily Telegraph During the Second World addition to his prolific output

War he became a flight- of books. lieutenant in the RAF and He was He was a member of the later served as a staff officer at Institution of Radio Engi-the Ministry of Aircraft Pro- neers, the British Society of Sports Psychology, the British Society of Sports Sciences, and one of the earliest hi-fi models an associate member of the of radio receiver and record. British Association of National Coaches.

#### MISS TOBY ROBINS

and the state of the

Toby Robins, the actress, She was, for example, Berinthia in Trevor Nunn's who died in hospital in London on March 21, aged 55, was 1968 revival of Vanhrugh's a handsome, dark haired, and The Relapse for the Royal 1968 revival of Vanhrugh's invariably elegant Canadian. Shakespeare Company at the own country before coming to the same season in Paddy England in the mid-1960s Chayevery's The Latent Het-with her husband, the product ensembly, she was the voluing manager, Bill Freedman, ble Creole widow in Shaw's Genera at the Mermald who was occupied with distinction in North America and (1971) later in Britain. During 1957 her perfor-

At the same theatre (1974) she appeared with Constance Cummings in A. R. Gurney's Children, and in one of various productions at Hampstead, Dinsdale Landen partnered her in a two-hander hy James Saunders:

TV drama": and in the theatie - Most recently, in London, during 1962 she was Roxane she had given a warm and at Stratford. Ontario, to the Cyrano de Bergerac of Chris-American Mrs Prest in a American Mrs Prest in a Haymarket revival of the

Redgrave version of The

Aspern Papers (1984); on tour

# between Nicholas, only son of Dr and Mrs Edward Prettejohn, of Stonegallows House, Taun-ton, Somerset, and Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr Robin Esch, of Concord, Massachu-sens, and of Mrs Joan Esch, of Concord, New Hampshire,

Mr and Mis Alan broat Quesi a Turner, of Poulions, of New Dormansland, Surrey, and Ali-son Caroline, daughter of Mr and Mrs William Reynolds, of Surrey. daughter of Mr and Mrs J, Newsome, of West Byfleet,

Fleet, Hampshire.

Timberland, Lincoln.

Mr J. Brooke Turner and Miss A.C. Reynolds

Mr T.R. Charlston and Miss M.J. Glendining The engagement is announced between Terence, son of Mrs J. Charlston and the late Mr V. Charlston, of Blackpool, and Margaret, daughter of Mr C.R. Glendining and the late Mrs A.D. Gleadining, and step-daughter of Mrs M.A. Gleadining, of Tiverton.

#### Dr M. Griffiths

and Dr K.E. Elliott The engagement is announced between Malcolm, elder son of Mr and Mrs G. Griffiths, of Tyldesley, Manchester, and Kay eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs A.C. Flipt of Saar Gram A.G. Ellioit, of Seer Green, Buckinghamsbire.

Mr C.J. Harding

and Miss D.R. Hunting The engagement is announced between Joe, son of Mr Bernard Harding, of Algeciras, Spain, and Mrs Medora May Harding, of Felpham, Sussex, and Deb-

Penrith, Cumberland, and the Hon Mrs Jeonifer Sullivan, of Mr P.J. Quest and Miss S.L.W. Newsome The engagement is announced The engagement is announced between Peter, son of Mrs S. between James, youoger son of Mr and Mrs Alan Brooke Quesi and the late Mr S. Quest, of Newport, Gweot, and Sarah,

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Forthcoming marriages

Mr G.C. Thomas and Miss C.A. Gibbons The engagement is announced the engagement is announced betweeo Guy, son of Mr and Mrs H. Thomas, of Radlett, Hertfordshire, and Caroline, daughter of Licuteoant Com-mander P. Gibbons, RN, retd, of Seal Chart, Kent, and Mrs J. Gibbons, of Otford, Kent.

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London.

Mr M.R. Acton and Miss F.M.C. Waller The marriage took place on Saturday, March 22, in Lincoln College Chapel, Oxford, of Mr Michael Acton, son of Mr and Mrs Rex Acton, of Abergavenny, Gwent, and Miss Frances Waller, daughter of Mr and Mrs Anthony Waller, of The Queen's Lancashire Regi- Royal Society The annual dinner of The

Queen's Lancashire Regiment Volunteer Dinner Club was held at Kimberley Barracks, Preston, on Saturday, Lieutenant-Colonel G.B. Stam. Commanding Officer, 4th Battalion, presided and the Earl of Derby was the principal guest.

Royal Engineers Volunteers (Sponsored Units) Brigadier G.W. Field presided at the annual dinner of The Royal

Engineers Volunteers (Spon-sored Units) held on Saturday at the RE Officers' Mess, Chattenden, to mark the apprintment of Brigadier L.F.H. Busk as Hooorary Colonel.

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The following 40 new Fellows of the Royal Society have been elected: .

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television programme, Front Page Challenge, made her a national figure across Canada. Banqueting House, Whitehall, arranged by the Engineering Industry Training Board. Other guests included chairmen, chief executives and managing direc-tors of engineering companies attending the EITB "Winning. Margin" conference on invest-ment io buman resources in London on March 23-24. Sir Francis Tombs, Chairman of She acted widely at that time in what was known as "the Golden Age of Canadian

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orah (Dumps), daughter of Mr and Mrs Clive Hunting, of Fulmer, Buckinghamshire.

Captain R.C.D. James and Miss F.M.A. Rhys The engagement is announced betweeo Richard James. The Queen's Own Hussars, second son of Major and Mrs Philip James, of Streete Court, Rooks Nest, Godstooe, Surrey, and Fiona, only daughter of Mr aod Mrs Llewelyn Rhys, of Hill Farm House, Babcary, oear Somerton, Somerset.

Mr A.R. Loweth and Miss L.S. Parr The engagement is announced between Alan, only son of Mr and Mrs C.E. Loweth, of Ailsworth, Cambridgeshire, and Linda, only daughter of Mr and Mrs R.T. Parr, of Bootham, York.

#### **Birthdays today** Torquay bridge

Air Chief Marshal Sir John Davis, 75; Miss Jane Drew, 75; Professor Stephen Elek, 72; Sir John Kendrew, 69; Miss Sonia Torquay over the weekend: Results: Mixed pairs: 1 Mrs P Graham, Laker: A Bondey, Mrs B Manhinick. 0 McFarlane. Mrs K Manhinick. and Mrs LC Bell. P Bowles and 0 A McFarlane: 2 Mr R Alinger. Mrs P Fox. Mrs M Blake, R Nicholson: 3 Capitaln and Mrs M Lincoln. B Parkins. K A J Woods. Torquay Cup. 1. K A H Keimere. C N Keimere: R Parkins. K A J Woods. 3 Mrs M Bertstim. K A J Woods. 3 Mrs M Bertstim. K A J Woods. 3 Mrs M Bertstim. J Standard Standard Standard Bayles: 2 F Funder J Ould: 3. T J Glubb. M K Watts. Lannaman, 30; Sir Peter Meinertzhagen, 66; Mr Mal-Number 2012 Strategies, 30, 50, Mil-colm Muggeride, 83, 51 Noel Murless, 76; the Earl of Selborne 46; Professor Dorothy Severio, 44; Mr Tommy Trinder, 77; Professor H.B. Whittington, 70.

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3024.

Mr J.J.H. Brookes and Miss D. Rivett The marriage look place quietly in London on Friday, March 21, 1986, of Mr Joseph John Hugh Brookes, of Slourbridge, West Midlands, and Miss Diana Rivett, of London.

Return of Mr I.H. Macalpine-Leny and Miss A.E. Ailes and Miss A.E. Ailes The marriage took place quietly on Friday, March 21, 1986, in Washington DC, United States, between Mr Iau Macalpine-Leny, only son of the late Mayor K.H. Macalpine-Leny and of Mrs Nancy Macatpine-Leny, of Doddington, Lincoln, and Miss Anne Ailes, only daughter of the Eros A workman putting the final touches to the restored statne of Eros in Piccadilly Circus before it is unveiled Anne Ailes, only daughter of the late Rear-Admiral John W. Ailes, III, and Mrs Carlton R. Adams, of Charlottesville, Virginia. today hy Mr Ken Livingstone, Leader of the Greater London Council (Photograph: Suresh Karadia).

#### The annual Devon and Cornwall bridge contest was held at Torquay over the weekend:

Births, Deaths and In Memoriam

debale Tomorrow (2 30): as Bill. third reading Motion for the Easter adjournment. Adouting Monon for the Easter adouting (2.30) Debate on im-maration rules Thursday 19301. Easter adjournment debates.

#### Mr Michael Burn presided at the annual reunion dinner of the St Nazaire Society field on Sat-urday at The Brewery, Chiswell Street. The guests of honour were Brigadier K.R.S. Trevor and Mgr Alfred Hemery. Cap-tain R.E.D. Ryder, VC, was also Comptons Today (2.30), Conclusion of Budget present

The Royal Hampshire Regiment Brigadier C.G.T. Viner presided at the anoual dinner of The Royal Hampshire Regiment Terrisorial Officers' Dinner Club held on Saturday as Serie's House, Winchester.

PICKLES Muriel on March 18th, peacefully at home, Private crema-lion, interment at Mount Zom Chapel. Ogden. Halface, on Wedney-day, March 26th at 2pm. No flowers. Donations, if desired, to Association to Combat Hauntington's Chorea, Hinckley, Leicester, LE10 1AP. SAMP50M Thio, peacefully at Tres Montes Argentina, on March 18th, aged 81 years. Father of Alice and Wendy and grandfalther of James, Melinda and Nicky. R.I.P. SCHALLER-KELLY On February 19th, 1985, in Hospital in Malaga Spain. Mary Kelly, aged 83, dearly beloved mother of Charles. Much

beloved mother of Charles. Much loved seler and auni. The funeral took place on February 23rd in Fuengroula. Donations. If desired. to Ecumenical Centre Lux Mundi, Calle

Fuengirola. Donalions. If desired, to Ecumenical Centre Lux Mundi. Calle Nueva S. Fuengrouta. Malaga. Spain. SMYTN On February 24th 1996. In hospital. after a long illness and in her 75th Year. Mary (Bunny) Leigh-ion inte Macfarlane Hokklika. New Zeatandi deariy loved wife of Basil and loving mother of Nijed and Hen-retta. Funeral private. SORELL - On 21st March 1986. peace-fully at home. Ernest Robert.

fully at home Ernest Robert. Genask Court. London Road. Binfield, Berkshire, Funeral at East Hampslead Park Crematorium, on Thursday 27th March at 12 noon. Flowers to Cyril H. Lovegrove. 4 Town Square, Brackneil, Berkshire.

Town Square, Bracknell, Berkshire, SPENCER HART On 17th March, 1966 peacefully al home (Capil) Wil-liam Henry Scencer Hart, aged 97 years, son of the lale Sir Israel and Lady Hart of Leicester Gremation at Golder's Green on Thursday 27th March at 10.50am. Enquilities Leverion & Sons (01-5876075).

Leverton & Sons (01-3876075). WEDDEREURN - Cyntria, on Thurs-day. 20 March 1986. In Bedfordshire, wife of the late Alister and mother of Clarissa, Jane. Olivia and the late Dalvid - Cremation pri-vale. Service of thanisgiving 3 00om. Salurday 22 April 1986. at SI Andrews Church. East Hagbourne. WILLIAMESON Audrey Author peece-luly 14 March, cremation 3.30pm Wednesday March. 26 at Sington Crematorium Finchley Flowers to 46 Dalston Lane. London E8 WOOTTOM. On 21st March 1996 at Ashtead Surrey. Stanley Thomas, M.C. of Sydney. Australia, and Ep-son, Surrey. dearty loved father of

som, Surgy, death loved father of Catherine, Service at St. Joseph's Ro-man Calholic Church. Epson. or Tuesday Isl April at 10 am. Flowers to A & E Longhurst. 21-25 Kingston Proof Fund

Saturday at the Belfry Hotel, Oxford.

St Nazaire Society

#### Francis Tombs, Chairman of Rolls-Royce Limited, was a rick. Venn presided. Coloner-Richard Hill, county cadet com-mandant, received the guests, who included the Lord Lieuten-aot of Oxfordshire and Lady speaker at the dinner. Service dinners 2nd Regiment Royal Artillery Lieutenant-Colonel D.M.P., Lowe, Commanding Officer, presided at a reunion dinner of the last Regiment Royal Artil Ponsooby.

Lecture the 2nd Regiment Royal Artil-

the 2nd Regiment Royal Arti-lery held on Salurday at the RA Institute of Chartered Sec-Mess, Woolwich, Major-Gen-retaries and Administrators eral MJ. Tomlinson, Hooorary Colonel, was among those and Ulster King of Arms, gave a Colonel, was among those talk on March 18 at the City Livery Club 10 members of the Mahar Regiment Major F. Martin presided at the anoual reunioo dinoer of the Mahar Regiment for former officers and their ladies bed on ondoo branch of the Institute

Livery Club to members of the Londoo branch of the Institute of Charterod Secretaries and Admioistrators entitled "Genealogy". The chairman, Mr G.H. Woodward, presided. **Memorial service The Right Rev Victor Pike** A service of thanksgiving for the life of the Right Rev Victor Pike was held on Sturday in Salis-bury Cathedral. The Rev Robert Willis officiated. Mr Simon Pike, son, and the Right Rev St Joho Pike, brother, read the lessons. The Ven Edwin Ward gave an address. The Bishop of Sherborne and the Right Rev Sherborne and the Right Rev Salisbury processor of Technology. Cambridge University of Cambridge Complexity Professor of Smith, professor of Mathematical Brown University of Heldsandsmen. Professor of physiology and engineering al Brown University of Sherborne and the Right Rev Salisbury procounced the bless-iog aod the Bishop of Sherborne and the Right Rev Sherborne and th

Science report Stripping off ears of corn to cut costs By John Young, Agriculture Correspondent

The advent of the combine summer's heavy rains the harvester is generally held to advantage was even more have effected one of the greatmarked; a late season experiment in East Lothian, Scotest revolutions in the history of land, on difficult waterlogged farming. But now scientists at the National Institute of Agri-cultural Engineering ut Silsoe, terrain, produced an improvement in harvested yield of 1,6 Bedfordshire, believe they tonnes a hectare. have developed a still more efficient method of harvesting, After the grain has been stripped, the straw can subse

known as grain stripping. The principle is that, inquently be harvested separately if required for fuel, animal feed or other purposes, or can be burnt or ploughed in. Because it remains evenly. stead of cutting the whole crop and then separating the grain is distributed, it is easier to simply stripped off the plant, leaving the straw standing. With the intake of straw incorporate with a plough than when it is cut and lying in drastically reduced, machines scattered clamps. Potential applications are

concept of the combine har-

can achieve a much higher not confined to grain. Other work rate, and harvesting can crops harvested successfully be completed in only a fraction with the stripping header inof the time, with considerable savines in fael. The idea is not new, and grass seed, and it is boped that

it- might also - be - used - for several patents have been defoliating berbage crops. taken out over the past 50 years, but until now no one has ..... Institute staff believe that succeeded in developing a the development of the header mechanism which performs could revolutionise the whole

satisfactorily. vester and lead to lighter, faster machines that use far Last year, however, trials with a new header carried out less fuel. Their fear is that the at the institute achieved an 80 hig manufacturers may have per cent improvement in work too heavy a vested interest in rate without any significantly greater grain loss. With crops their present models to welcome the new system. that had been flattened by the

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mances as a panelist in a

Toby Robins was happily Root Afterwards her work on the married, with three grown up English stage confirmed her children, two sons and a style and resource in dealing daughter. An endeared col-with plays of various periods league in the theatre, offstage talso her gift for wearing she was closely interested in antiques.

#### **GLUBB PASHA**

opera,

Somerset de Chair writes In your otherwise admira-

the Column (Kingcol), Gener-al Kingstone and Glubb Pasha as a meeting of prima donnas ble obituary of Gluhh Pasha, you dismiss in two lines the only two campaigns in the Second World War in which Gluhh and the Arah Legion participated, yet his contribution to the capture of Baghdad in 1941 and the subsequent capture of the desert fortress of Palmyra in Syria was

campaigns, I depended entire-ly on Glubb and his "girls" for

information as to the where-abouts of the enemy. Especial-

of Major, he was a Lieutenant-General in the Jordanian Army, as indicated on his epaulettes. Kingstone was a Brigadier. But in the end they General Smuts recognised got on famously. this as a turning point in the Gluhh was essentially modwar, in denying the eastern flank of the Middle East to

behind the scenes before an

The confusion arose be-

cause although Glubh had left

the British Army with the rank

est: too modest, as it tran-spired, when he was abruptly dismissed by King Hussein. This was what we would call a As Intelligence Officer to the British Column in these test case; and proved to the Arab world, a few months hefore Nasser's nationalisation of the Suez Canal, that Britain's ascendancy in the Middle East was OVEL.

ly in the crossing of the Iraq desert we were harassed by a brilliant guerrilla leader. Nothing has ever been the same since but that does not diminish Glubb's contribuand the liberation of the 1.000

Fawzi Kawukji, and would never have known where he was hut for Glubh's tion to the capture of Baghdad In The Golden Carpet 1 British hostages shut up in the described the first meeting at grounds of the British Rutha of the Commander of Embassy.

## MR MORLEY PENISTAN

J.E.G. writes: deprived of one of its leading figures who took a leading part in developments involving natural regeneration and broadleaved woodland.

A member of the pre-war generation at Oxford whose introduction to plant ecology came from lectures by the great Sir Arthur Tansley, he spent some time at Dartington before-joining-the Forestry Commission, choosing a ca-neer in Britain, unlike most of

his contemporaries. Experience in Scotland gave him an encyclopaedic knowledge of its forests and woodlands; this was later paralleled during his time in South west England and in his final Commission post as Conser-vator of Forests for eastern England

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A Nuffield Fellowship took him to Europe. South Africa, With Morley Penistan's Australia, and New Zealand to study plantation methods. study plantation methods. He became interested in

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conservation at an early stage and took a leading part in the development and control of his local conservation trust in I. Gloucestershire, and was largely instrumental in establishing the Wessex Silvicultural Group.

His interest in forestry at all levels is shown by his involve-ment in the Society of Foresters of Great Britain, of which he was a former president, and - its eventual development into the Institute of Chartered Foresters.

He will long be remembered as an inspiring and amusing enthusiast and a chaiming personality, as far removed from the popular idea of a government servant as it is possible 10 imagine.

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to 18-3-86. You gave us all so much. With all our love Mum. Dad & Lisa. Mass of the Angels al S. Augustine's Catholic Church. Woodland Road. St. Austell. Cornwall on Wednesday 26th March 2 pm followed by buriel al Fowey Cemelery. DAUBENY - On March 19th 1986. Ann Daubeny, M & E. J.P., beloved wite of Ronald and devoted mother of Philip and Glies. Funeral Service al St. Nicholas Church, Linkon. Maid-stone, Kent, al 2.30pm, on Wednesday 26th March, Deduines Ka234, Maldistone. Tel: Maldsione \$4234. CAMP On 12th March to Sue and Jer-ry. another beautiful son David, a ry. another beautifit brother for James. brouner for James. **NOLLOWAY** - On March 16th at SL. Luke's Hospital. Guildford, to Eliza-beth (nee Jamieson) and David, a second son. Andrew Francis. **KENT-LENKON** - On March 18th in Thomas Miller. 43 Melville Road. Maidsone. 7ci: Maldsone \$4234. DRURY - On 20th March. peacetally at his home. Renture. Broadhempston. Der on. Cuthert. C.B.E. F I.E. Joyce's loved husband and faither of Esca. John and Leane. much loved grandpa of all his grandchildren. Fu-neral Service at SI. Peter's and SI. Paul's Church, Broadhempston, Dev-on, on Wednesday 26th March. at 2 pm. Enquiries to Perring Funeral Services. Tel: 0803 862417. FARMER On 21st March. peacefully in hospital. Martorie. much loved moth-er of John and Brenda and grandmoiher of Amanda. CODFRET-JOMES On March 20th very suddenly. Finda dearly loved by Jonah and by Robin and Deborah. Funeral Service at Bishop's Clevie Church on Maandy Thursday at 2 45pm. Iollowed by private crema-bon. No flowers. buil donations it desired Io Sue Ryder Home. Leckhampion. Chellenham.

CAMILL-On 14th March 1986 at Roy-al Bucks Hospital. Aylesbury. to Edward and Annie. a son Myles William.

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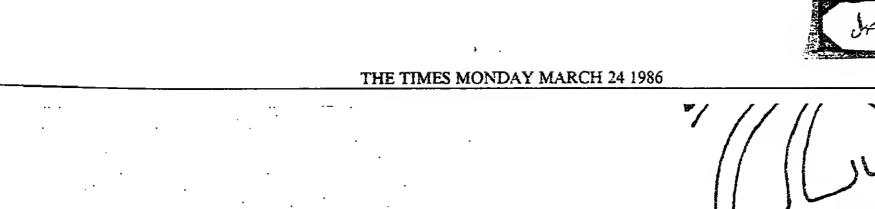
BIART - On March 22nd, peacefully at Westhampneti Privale Nursing Home near Chichester West Sussex. Douglas Edgar aged 92, charter Iown clerk and freeman of rugby Beloved lather of Douglas and David, grand-lather of Mark, Brian. Nicholas, Heien and Robert. Service al Fishbourne Church. Chichester. Thursday. March 27th. at 1 16pm. Jollowed by private cremation Flow. ers Io. Edward While & Son. 5 south Pallani. Chichester. Tel 7821 36. BURTON. On 20th March 1986 peace age of 87. peacefully al St Lukes Hos-pilal Guildford. Edith Jackson, formerty of Dublin. Widow of Ar-thur Jackson. Mother of the late Guy thur Jackson. Mother of the late Guy Jackson. and of Donald Jackson. Grandmother of Pater. Alexandra. Grandmother of Grace. Funeral at Woking Crematorium at 11.30am of 26 March. Paliani. Chichester. Tel 782136. BURTON. On 20th March 1986 peace-fully. Jeste Anne (nee Duncan) aged a7 years. of Windlesham Manor. Be-loved wife of Murray. loving and much loved mother of Clare. John and Clive. Quiel funeral service at Surrey and Sussex Crematorium, Worth. on Monday 24th March at 10.45 am. Flowers to Paul Bysouth Funeral Services. Telephone Crowborough 5000

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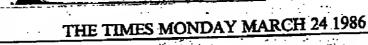
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V&A basement (Photograph: Suresb Karadia). A preservation expert carrying out repairs yesterday to Islamic artefacts damaged in the flood in

# **Museum faces battle over** compensation for flood fraction of the compensation required for the flood, which

The V&A initially blamed

showed the need for higher

spending on the South Ken-sington, London, building. Mi-

por floods caused by burst

radiators and inadequate

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But an investigation re-

realed that the real cause of

which had been installed to

the flood was a new water main

By David Hewson Arts Correspondent

The Victoria & Albert Museum faces its second long and expensive wrangle with the Property Services Agency and its sub-contractors after a flood damaged priceless exhibits on Saturday.

its ancient plumbing for the flood, and said the incident An electrical contracting firm employed by the PSA to undertake work at the museum is already involved in a compensation claim resulting from an accident in November in which - a workman's ladder toppled a £1 million bust by Algardi, shattering it into several pieces.

The bust remains unrepaired as talks on the cost of restoring it continue between the PSA, a Government department and the private con-tracting firm which employed the workman.

Today's events

But the cost of the Algardi repair could turn out to be a

carried out drainage works between the museum and the Brompton Oratory. Some time on Saturday damaged hundreds of items of theatrical interest destined for morning, a seal on the tempo-rary pipe barst, sending water the British Theatre Museum, as well as a number of Islamic cascading through basement offices and into the room where thousands of pieces and Japanese artefacts, being stored in the musenm

were stored. At one stage the water was 4ft deep The museum estimates it needs around £26 million in repair work on its buildings. Arts sources said the flooding would lead to further strained relations between national in-

stitutions, which must rely on the PSA to carry out structural work for them on behalf of the Government, which usualty owns the buildings. The V&A said it had no alternative but to store items

replace its supposedly unsafe Victorian predecessor. in the room affected by the The four-inch pipe, capable "There is just noflooding. "There is just no-where else to put them. We are very short of space," a spokesman said.

#### **Test blast** Sindona sets off trail of mysterv **US** outcry Continued from page 1 seven times in 1985 before the Continued from page 1

moratorium.

(Christopher Walker writes).

In a report from Washing-

ton on Sunday night, Tass claimed that the blast was

tell-tale proof that the Rea-

party daily said.

to force the Italian Govern ment to intervene with the Americans on his behalf. The senator believes Sindona was • MOSCOW: Pravda yester-• MUSCOW: Pravaa yester-day accused the White House of trying to sabotage growing public support for Moscow's offer of an indefinite ban on murdered.

Even though Sindona had faced crises in the past which all tests by bringing forward the date of Saturday's blast were clearly leading to his destruction, he never, as far as is known, tried seriously to "By fixing the date of the explosioo initially slated for mid-April for late March, the make use of his secrets to defend himself - hence the theory that his secrets were another bluff and that, faced with prison for the rest of big life at the age of 70, he decided to kill himself and somehow White House decided to neutralize public opinion for the moratorium that would: have gained momentum during the coming month," the minaged to obtain a dose of potassium cyanide.

## ferred him dead to alive and would have been ready to put

## Suicide is only one theory because there were certainly people who would have pre-

# Village voice How the poor were made to pay for expert help

Continuing his series from a village in the Himalayas, Victor Zorza tells how a trusted leader of the low-caste Harijans took his own cut when he distributed welfare funds - even from his brother's share.

The village poor were given new hope by a man they knew they could trust. He had once tried to organize them to defy the landlords. They had failed him then bot he hadn't quit. Defeated as their candidate in the election for headman, he now looked to the law to lift

up his low-caste brethren. He had become a representative of the Legal Aid Committee, Mangatram told me when I returned to the village after a long abwhen a returned to the village after a long ab-sence. He had gone from village to village urging Harijans – or "Sons of God", as low-castes are officially called – not to submit to oppression. "The law is on our side", Mangatram has told them. He recounted his achievements to me til second allowed his. achievements to me. "I rescue village girls forced into town brothels. I save innocent, villagers from prison. I obtain government land for landless Harijans."

"We're not afraid any more," he informed me in the village square, with high-caste landlords listening. "The Government is heiping us."

When I first knew him, he begged me not to name him in my articles. He had given me information about corrupt officials and exploiting landlords, and feared their revenge. I had changed all the names in the ar-ticles I wrote then. Now there was no need

ucles I wrote men. Now mere was no need for concealment. The high-caste Brahmins and Raiputs remained in the square when he left. "His-boasts are hes", they insisted. Mangatram had profited from my articles, they said, had been appointed a member of the district's Harijan Welfare Board, and now wanted

The welfare board had always had a reputation for diverting government funds into private pockets. "Now Mangatram gets his share of the kickbacks," the high-castes told me. The Harijans denied it. The Brahmins' slander, they said, was designed to damage his chances in the next election.

Mangatram compiled a list of villagers who, he said, would receive government grants for the purchase of buffaloes. Among them, were those who had opposed his nomination as headman. "That proves he's honest," his defenders said. No, said his detractors, all, it proved was that he was

trying to buy supporters. Those Mangatrain had passed over cast, aspersions on min, but that was to be expected Others doubted if the grants would ever come. When he asked the lucky ones to, sign receipts for the money they were to receive, most doubts were stilled. "It's official now," his supporters declared. The village headman, Nain Singh, muttered that he would make off with the grants, but few.

people took him seriously, because Mang atram had opposed him in the last election of 1 States

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Mangatram's elder brother Durgu was on the list, but when I saw the miserable hut he lived in. I knew that he genuinely deserved help. When their father had died Durgu had taken his place, had brought Mangatram up, and had gone into debt to pay for his education. Durgn was still poor, still struggting He could do with a buffalo.

I was away from the village when an official arrived with the money. He counted out the bankpoles and handed them over to Mangatrani and his associate, Attar Singh, making certain that the villagers saw everything. That was his way of ensuring that the grants would reach those for whom they were intended. The two village representatives signed the receipt, and he left.

Mangatram went into a huddle with the clerks who had remained to supervise the proceedings. Everyone entitled to the grand was to receive 4,000 rupers (about £270).

Mangatram distributed the money. The villagers counted it. Some thought there had been a mistake. They counted again, and again. Each had received less than 3,000.

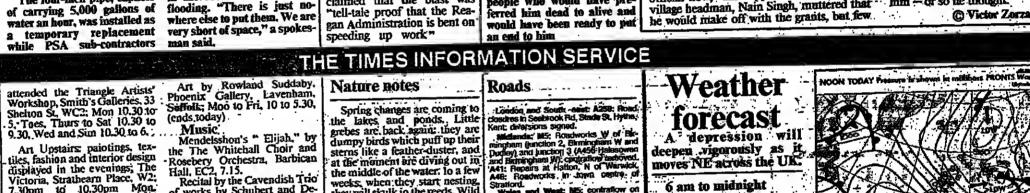
3,000. He had to give a cut to the clerks, Mangatram explained, and he was entitled to his own share: "If it hadn't been for me, you wouldn't have got anything." They protest-ed. He threatened: "If you don't shut up, I'll see to it that you get nothing heat time."

#### 'My own brother is doing this ...

His brother pleaded with him: "Take it or His brother pleaded with him. 'I at it or leave it," Mangatram said. Durgu threw the , money in his face, reconsidered, and pickets it up again. "What else could I do?" he asked me later. "Td already signed for 4,000." He was too poor — as they all were — to tisk los-ing it. "My own brother is doing this to us," he kept repeating to me. He still hadn't repaid the debts he had incurred to help Mangatram rise above his fellow low-castes. Other villagers confirmed his account and gave me their own stories of the extortion and trickery Mangatram had practised on and increase comparently independent of them. When he learned that I had been asking questions, he counter-attacked. I was a spy, he said, and would bring harm to the village. We don't want you here," he told me. "So"

"It's he who should go," the headman told me. He had found a way to free the village of him - or so he thought.

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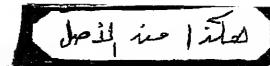
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#### From Maxwell Newton New York

The resignation of Mr Presthe resignation of Mr Pres-ton Martin as vice-chairman of the Federal Reserve Board removes from that institution the leading critic of Mr Paul Volcker, its chairman. Mr Martin was the spearhead of the Reagan Administration's

the Action of the Volcker attempt to break the Volcker stranglehold on the Fed. The infighting at the Fed has once again raised the question of why the Adminis-tration so dislikes Mr Volcker. Here is a list of rangement Here is a list of reasons;

. Mr Volcker is a Democrat, appointed by Mr Jimmy Carter, the former President.

• In the early months of President Reagan's first term, Mr Beryl Sprinkel, who was then Under-Secretary for Monetary Affairs in the US Treasury, constantly arged Mr Volcker to bring about a "slow and steady" reduction in the rate of growth of money. Eventually, the President called Mr Volcker ia, on April 18, 1981 and after that point Mr Volcker instituted an effective freeze on money growth - something the Administra-tion had never asked for, or wanted.

• The Administration publicly and privately vilified Mr Volcker for having precipitated the 1982 recession. This recession led to a permanent loss of federal revenues and the deficit problem. • Follow-ing the huge money growth explosion in July 1982, to July 1983, the Fed became more and more concerned that it had re-ignited the fires of inflation. Mr Milton Friedman in April-1984 said whoever was the President in January 1985 would have to impose wage and price control to stem a prospective serious inflation Many people in the Fed felt the same way and from April 1984 until October 1984 there was an effective freeze on money growth. Mr Martin, by then vice-chairman of the Fed, argued that the freeze on money growth had been far too sudden and far too severe. • In the first half of 1984

real GNP growth averaged 8 per cent a year. In the third quarter it fell precipitously to an annual rate of 2:1 per cent and in the fourth quarter to 0.6 per cent and the strength of Mr Martin's criticism was enhanced. In October 1984,

The Bank of England bopes of its problems were caused by to sell Johnson Matthey Bank- a lack of supervision and at ers, the international bank and builtiou dealer it saved from collapse, within the next month. Pemberton.

Mr Robin Leigh-Pember-10n. Governor of the Bank of England, indicated over the weekend that JMB could be in fresh hands very sooo, possibly split up and sold to more

than one buyer. A spokesman for the Bank said: "It was never our inten-tion to retain ownership and we said we would find likely buyers as soon as various problems had been sorted out". However, he added that there was no certainty a deal would be completed within a month.

By Our City Staff

Rolls-Royce, the aero engine company which was rescued

would be sold before the next

general election but the compa-

ny yesterday dismissed sugge

stock market debut.

were complete.

Johnson Matthey Bankers was rescued with debts of more than £250 millioo in 1984 and has been at the centre of one of the biggest financial and political storms in the City for years, mvolving allegations of multimillion pound currency frauds. Many

Last December JMB, in its first set of accounts since its a lack of supervision and at the heighth of the scandal near collapse, reported a prethere were calls for the resignation of Mr Leigb-

**Bank of England poised** 

to sell JMB next month

The Bank will be boping it can recover from the sale almost all of the £150 million At that time the Bank of England said the results marked a turning point io minute and the second minute and the second matter as part of a package arranged with other City banks. JMB's affairs and losses this year would be considerably reduced.

#### **Rich rewards defended** Stockbroking firms have

Young financial experts should enjoy their six-figure rewards while they can, Mr Robin Leigh-Pemberton, Govbeen offering staff salaries of £60,000 or more plus buge "golden hellos" to build up their teams for the Big Bang in ernor of the Bank of England, the autumn.

said at the weekend. Stepping into the controver-sy over big city salaries, he said he could understand that it was "distasteful" for the unemployed to read of high "In addition", Mr Leigh-Pemberton said, "there is a shormess of career which is comparable with pop singers and athletes. Indeed, this trend may not be sustained: wages but employers were competing in world markets and needed to pay to attract the right sort of people. some salaries may come down and some of these high-fliers may even be redandant."

Baring Brothers, the mer-chant bank handling the sale, has contacted about 40 institax loss of about £70 million. There were bad debt provi-sions of around £250 million. iutions thought to be keen on making an offer for all or part of JMB.

The main attraction is its hullion-dealing side - it is a member of the exclusive London gold bullion markel which is understood to have been Irading profilably throughout the difficulties affecting the banking operation. A substantial tax loss on the loan book, which can be offset

against profils oo other parts of the business, is also attrac-tive 10 would-be huyers. One bank thought to be interested in JMB is Chase Manhattan, which is heavily involved in Nigeria - the source of many of the Britisb

bank's loan problems. However, Chase Manhattan or anyone else would insist that the Bank of England provide watertight guarantees offering indemnity against any legal action which could arise after the sale.

Controls

for **BES** 

misfire

By Lawrence Lever

Budget proposals aimed at

# **Executive Editor Kenneth Fleet** How Lawson played the numbers game is nothing like a busy Budget tn cent in volume terms, this year.

There is nothing like a busy Budget tn distract us from the fundamentals. But Mr Lawson's obligatory Red Book acts like a black cnffee after the Budget fizz. In sober figures, his forecast fnr econnmic growth remains unchanged at 3 per cent, for all the ability of the oil markets and political ingenuity to change it for better nr worse. This is, bowever, virtually the nnly Red Book figure not to have experienced a sea change since Mr Lawson was last obliged to open the books. The first puzzle to be solved is how the great conjuror has managed to pluck an egg out of the ear of public finances: that is, how the Chancellor has simultaneously managed to cut both borrowing and taxation while losing half his revenue from the North Sea.

For clues, look back at the forecasts for 1986-87 that be made in the 1985 Budget. Public spending figures have come down just enough to justify that gesture of reducing the public borrowing target from £7.5 billion to £7 billion. Not quite all the extra revenue expected from sales of public sector assets will be absorbed by higher spending on public programmes.

But the most important shift is that while North Sea revenue forecasts have been scaled down by £5.5 billion, other receipts have been scaled up by about £3 billion.

Part of this increase will be quite painless. Company profits are expected to jump - rising a further 20 per cent in 1986 if oil companies are excluded. While the rate of corporation tax is going down, corporate tax receipts are expected to go up some 13 per cent. But the small print of the Red Book reveals a more painful source of revenue, which does not reflect buoyant income: a 14 per cent rise in local authority rates.

## Dramatic change

More broadly, however, the increase in revenue that has enabled the Chancellor to sprinkle Budget fresbener over the tax-paying electorate arises from his forecast of continuing economic growth. The hope that 1986 would be another year in which. growth topped 3 per cent did not feature in last year's Budget, but emerged in last November's Autumn Statement; cannily, the Chancellor did not then reveal his new revenue

While the Treasury has been too optimistic about exports before, there is a comforting margin for error nn the trade balance in the fact that it has also nearly doubled its forecast for imports.

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That is why its growth figure has not gone up, even though the Chancellnr is now counting on a 5 per cent increase in the real valume of fixed investment this year. But wait a moment: he was cnunting nn nearly as large an increase last year, and was disappointed. Only last November, with nne month th go to the end of 1985, the Treasury's estimate was for a 4 per cent rise in fixed investment. The latest guess is that investment rose a mere 1 per cent. In the second half of the year, it actually fell.

## Capital allowances

A seesaw pattern in investment was expected, following the changes in capital allowances that have encouraged business to cram investment decisions into the final months of each financial year. And since the Treasury still reached its growth forecast for last year as a whole, it may seem churlish to argue about the components.

Again this year, consumers' extra spending may make up for business caution. But Mr Lawson is sticking his neck out with an investment forecast way above the indications in the Department of Trade and Industry's survey of intentions, and this helps to explain his determination to get out of the interest-rate straitjacket imposed by his nowdiscarded medium-term financial strategy.

The simplest signs of the times are often the most revealing. In the Red Book, the passage on financial conditions used to begin with a dissertation on the monetary aggregates. Last week's began baldly by talking about the dollar.

In a couple of weeks we are promised further and better particulars, as defence counsel would say, of Mr Lawson's revised monetary strategy. One wonders why he bothers. A Chancellor who can substitute an 11-15 per cent target for sterling M3 for one of 4-8 per cent without undermining bis brand-new 3.5 per cent inflation target can tell the City anything Perhaps this reflects his present tactical advantage, having succeeded in reversing the latest rise in interest rates without being forced into a second increase. Or perhaps it is simply that we all now understand the dominance of the exchange rate in bis thinking; in which case he can still save bis breath. For all is fair in love and the currency markets, a subject on which no one expects Chancellors to tell the whole truth.

by the Heath Government in 1971, could be back in private hands by September. The company confirmed yesterday that La 6104 all the preliminary stages leading to an actumn flotation "We have no indication of an exact date for the privatization but everything is in motioo", said a spokesman. The Government said last November that Rolls-Royce

Sir Francis: massaging the company image Airways' difficulties. We are

**Rolls-Royce sale 'in motion'** 

proceediog independently." nons that it was now able to quite pencil in an autumn flotatioo Rolls-Royce has the more immediate problem of pleasing the market with its 1985 profit because of the setback in British Airways' plans for a "It would be wrong to figures, expected next month. The chairman, Sir Francis Tombs, has indicated a subassume that our timetable has been affected by British

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#### Opec split as oil price Dutch to crisis talks continue cut stake in KLM From David Young, Geneva

World oil markets will open ers attending the Geneva

stantial increase on the net total of £20 million last year, itself a sharp turnround on the record losses of £193 million previously. Over the coming months Sir Francis will be trying to mas-sage the company's image, and

curbing the proliferation of heavily asset-backed ventures in particular to ease worries over the heavy research and seeking finance under the development spending pro-**Business Expansion Scheme** gramme which is essential for a have allowed BES sponsors to increase iovestment Johnsoo Fry, the licensed dealer and specialist at probusiness operating oo the fronliers of eogioeeriog development.

Even so, the massive costs of ducing asset-backed compa-launching new engines - and nies, has been given the go-the calibre of the competition ahead by the Inland Revenue to invest £50,000 in each of its worldwide - will inevitably dampen some of the enthusisponsored companies. Johnasm for the issue in the city. soo Fry will be iovesting io a But Rolls-Royce has neveroumber of its own ventures mainly through its own BES theless been transformed in the last two years from a millstone around the oeck of the state to

Fund. The Bodget proposals stipu-lated that for a company to qualify for BES status it must a profitable operation with real not bold more than half of its oct assets io land or buildings. 'An exception 10 this rule was made for the first £50,000 of a company's share capital, the idea being that the asset restriction should oot apply to small, often private, BES

projects

the Voicker ch e in the Fe conceded defeat, and an extraordinarily rapid rate of money growth was instituted.

As vacancies on the Fed became available in the normal course of events, President Reagan appointed economists and bankers sympachetic to "the Preston Martin attitude".

 Recognizing the serionsly negative effects on domestic economic growth total of negative net exports, Mr James Baker, Secretary of the US Treasury, and Mr Richard wishes. Darman, his secretary, seized the initiative last September and forced Japan to abandon its policy of under-valuing the

yen. • Since July 1985, Mr Volcker had instituted an 8 per cent Federal funds policy which was increasingly resented by the financial markets and by the "gang of four" Reagan nominees on the Fed. After the first cut in the Japanese discount rate, pressure mounted for a break in the 8 per cent funds policy. Mr Volcker argoed it would weaken the dollar and increase the possibility of domestic infla-tion. The "gang of four" overraled Mr Volcker, and humiliated him in public, which I believe was unwise as it will worsen relations within the nation's supreme economic

The Hague (Reuter) - Th Dutch government will lose its majority stake in the national airline KLM this week for the first time in 67 years as the company issues new shares to food expansioo plans.

Opec is now deeply split A complex reshuffle of the KLM share structure will cut the state's holding from 54.8 per cent to 36.6 per cent, although the Government retains a supervisory role and will have an option to buy hack into the company if it

The move, which comes as prices back up. Britain hesitates over privatiziog British Airways, reflects KLM's desire for growth rather than a government policy of selling off business assets. Jobs linked

The airline needs money to renew its 60-plane fleet and add new capacity to keep pace with a growing market.

Orders have already been published today. About a fifth of the rise in placed for 21 oew planes and the share issue on the Amsterdam and New York markets -10 be based oo Wednesday's New York closing price - will

help to pay for them. After Wednesday, the sale of 15 million shares, of which three million were previously owned by the state, will begin and press estimates say the sale coold raise \$300 million (£200 million). of accommodation - and

#### BOARD MEETINGS

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Egypt, Mexico, Malaysia, Oman and Angola - are also ty as the Organizatioo of Petroleum Exporting Countries begins a second week of becoming increasingly frusdiscussion to find an answer trated at Opec's indecision. to the imbalance between oil While they have offered to supplies and demand. make productioo cuts to help share the hurden, Opec has yet

between the conservative to put a figure oo what quota it Arab Gulf states who want to is prepared to adopt. keep their present output levels to cootinue pressure on the Dicussions oow centre on

proposals varying from an 11 non-Opec oil producers to reach an agreement with Opec, and the Iranian and millioo barrel a day ceiling and a cootinuation of the quotas set in London three years ago at 16 millioo barrels other members who want a dramatic cut in output to force a day, which have been consis-The five non-Opec productently exceeded.

he £50,000 rule applies to the first £50,000 of a company's share capital which is issued after March 18 this year - and oot simply the first £50,000 of a particular company's share

capital. The Revenue has allowed us to issue a further 50,000 shares io any of our issues, even those that have already closed for subscriptions". Mr Charles Fry of Johnsoo Fry said on Friday. "I have to be fair 10 existing shareholders so I will probably only use up

It appears, however, that

£300.000 by putting an extra £50,000 in six of my companies."

But the explanation for these growth hopes has changed dramatically in four months. According to the Treasury, they now look much better balanced. Exports and investment are both expected to rise faster than consumer spending.

The export side of the picture credibly reflects a lower pound (against the Europeans, anyway) and a stronger world: one, incidentally, in which the inflation rate is expected to drop clear below the growth of output for the first time since the 1960s. The Treasury now believes that Britain's export markets will expand by 5 per

ey z Sarah Hogg Economics Editor xhill

# **Charities hope for windfall**

#### By Derek Harris, Industrial Editor

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needed to cut unemployment, Britain's 150,000 charines expected to see many payroll eccording to the journal of the are preparing to recruit worker Institute of Economic Affairs power to increase their reveoues by up to an estimated £100 million a year.

unemployment sioce the 1960s can be explained by the to many companies to per-Rent Acts, it is claimed in suade them to take advantage Economic Aflairs. The article, by Professor Patrick Minford, Mr Paul Ashton and Mr Michael Peel of Budget concessions oo payroll deductioo schemes.

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is also the maio umbrelia body in the charities field, said it billion more. Public sector advantage

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organizing conferences for a million. concerted approach to the

Mr Michael Brophy, the foundation's director, said: "If 10 per cent of the workforce ask for only half the concession, which would be £50 a year donated, that would produce about £100 million in The Charines Aid Founda-tion, which acts for donors hut is also the majo umbrelia body donations and earn about £6

£2.4 billion, while private individuals give about £1 Some payroll deductioo

schemes already exist; the charities benefiting include Dr Barnado's, the Save the Children Fund and the National Society for the Preventioo of Cruelty to Children.

Contributions from companies fall well behind the performances of businesses in countries like the US. This could be turned to

**Oil slide catches Norway out** From Tony Samstag, Oslo alcohol, tobacco, meat and State and monicipal empetrol in what is already one of

the most expensive countries in the world - an attempt, it says, to raise at lease 2 billion kroner in lost oil revenues. Mr Rolf Presthus, the finance minister, has warned of "economic catastrophe" if the shortfall is not made up. Since the price collapse in January, according to the Government, last year's cur-

rent account surplus of 26 billion kroner, or about 5 per cent of the gross national product, has already become a deficit of almost exactly the A1 present rates oil revenues

could drop from 20 per cent of the Government's total income to 3 per cent next year. Those reveoues are estimated to have fallen already from \$6.8 billion (£4.53 billion) in 1985 to \$2.1 billion. But the most ominous development of all is the increasing of the unions.

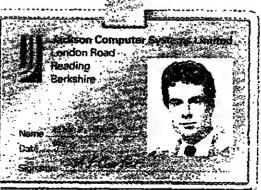
threat of a fierce pay dispote in the public sector, perhaps the worst this century.

ployees have falleo well be-bind private industry in pay and benefits; many feel that they have in effect been cheated out of their share in the oil boom. Now, the Government says, the money has run out. Record pay claims of 20 per cent and more could, after the long Easter break, lead to industrial conflicts of o severity rarely seen in this country. The Association of Local Authorities has threatened a lockout of its workers if any of them take industrial actioo. That would be unprecedented bere and guaranteed to pro-voke political fury.

A conciliatory proposal by Mrs Astrid Gjertsen, minister of consumer affairs, that more thaa 300 of the most senior jobs be made more competitive, by exemption from government pay scales, has only served to exacerbate the anger

Teachers are already refusing to substitute for colleagues who are sick.





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prices. Now that prices have collapsed, pressure to cut produc-tion intensifies almost daily. current levels before produc-tion cuts could be considered.

Exporting Countries, but also with domestic critics arging production cuts of 25 per cent Mr Hermad Skaanland, the ead of the Central Bank, says Norway is already far too dependent on oil, and suggests

some independent economists, million barrels a day to last year's level of 740,000 barrels to Oper has accused Norway, be psychologically important.

The Government has proposed an emergency Budget that would raise the price of

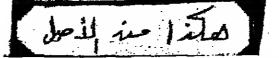
When the price of oil looked set to go through the roof, successive Norwegian govern-ments argued hard that pro-duction should be kept at refusing to cut production. The Norwegian Govern-ment dismisses such talk as an effort by Opec to find scape-goats for the disastrous drop in

Statoil, Norway's state oil company, says that prices would have to fall far below

The irony is not lost on the resent Conservative coali-Mr Kaare Kristiansen, the ion, which in recent weeks has oil and energy minister, rehad to contend not only with peats a longstanding convic-tion that oil companies must be free to manage their huge the Organization of Petroleum investments, now totalling be-tween 20 and 40 billion kroner (£2 billion to £4 billion),

according to their own commercial standards. Opposition politicians, and o reduction from the present 1

argue that a cut in productioo might in any case be too small have any real effect on market prices; though it could







## Smaller firms come back into favour The company, which makes much of the expensive raw at £2.75 million but this looks

# Chancellor outwits the City in high-stakes poker game

GILT-EDGED

the paper," gasped old Treasury hands, as they ran their fingers over the thick vellum of this year's Red Book. The 1986-87 Financial Statement and Budget Report bas been produced on truly sumptuous paper, perhaps the most expensive ever used. A metaphor for last week's

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rallying cry to the upper tier of the property-owning democracy? Papering over the cracks in policy? The gitts market was in no mood to savour such wisecracks last week, as it trumpeted approval of the Chancellor's statement. Goaded by the bulls and allegedly some panic buying by one jobbing firm with a crazy book, the market swept on to fresh beights. A bellwether stock like Exchequer 10¼ per cent 1989 saw

yields fall to nearly 8 per cent. The low coupons continued to advance. The knights of the shires are still backing the easier Chancellor. Lateral thinkers among the

traders likened the Budget to a successful coup in a long poker game. They imagined him seated at the green baize, cigar in hand, flanked by some extremely hard-looking gentlemen indeed, and sud-

denly bursting out of policy constraints with one effortless piece of hidding. The traders, as usual, have an intuitive grasp of these

things. It was a very effective Budget statement. The way that successful obstacles to a triumph, like gilt bears, Opec threats, Tory die-hard fears, and apprehension about central banking obligations, suddenly faded away during the week had something of the high drama of a show of hands in a tough poker scbool. It looks very much as if the Chancellor has broken new ground in his Budget approach. Rather than produce

a Budget for the economy-itself, he bas put greater emphasis instead on compiling a statement to allay market fears about the economy The logic of this approach holds on one level insofar as

Commercial Bank of Wales

announces that its Base Rate has

Never mind the content, feel enhances the chances of successful privatization moves has emerged as the first later in the year. This was really a Budget about equities. And it is foolish for the City's teenage scribblers to complain at the sectarianism in the Budget's definitional bias; in a generalized sense, the Government now is the privatization programme.

The angle of this approach also helps to reconcile the apparent inconsistencies in the Red Book. Glad tidings for gills, like low inflation, the restoration of monetary targeting and, subsequently, base rate cuts, are hard to square immediately with the good news for equities, like thundering growth in consumption and good growth in earnings. The fact that the

latest data on GDP and inflation directly contradict some of the Chancellor's assumptions does not make the task of reconciliation any On this basis, the Budget is

aimost an articulated structure, like a pop-up picture, designed to satisfy separate markets almost in isolation. rather than provide a consolidated analysis, underpinned by visible consistency. The sensation of disaggregation certainly applies to the gilts market. Normally, gilts trade with close reference to obvious benchmarks like the exchange rate and money costs. But as gilt yields near the 9 per cent yield barrier.

the spread over base rates is still an awe-inspiring 220 basis points. The chances of normal fundamentals catching up with the gilt market look slight in the short term.

Sterling looks set to trade between \$1.50 and \$1.40 as a preferred range, Break-out above that range poses problems for the oil account and on the Confederation of British Industry front. A drop in sterling below \$1.40 would amount to a vote of no confidence by the foreigner in the Budget, as well as threat-

ening to pusb up base rates. The authorities also face a policy bind on rates. As the first round of international the relentless projection of rate cuts draws to a close, Mr good news in the Budget Preston Martin, vice-chair-

man of the Federal Reserve. apparent casualty. His resignation appears to enhance the power base of Mr Paul Volcker, the chairman, wbo is known as a gradualist on rate cutting. Coincidentally, the Bank spent last Friday punishing the houses for their exuberance by lending at 12 per cent. On a practical level, the

British authorilies must be keen to see base rates in single figures in order to consolidate the move towards cheaper money and to buttress lhe UK gilt yield curve. But rates theoretically come down in half points. That suggests no fewer than four rate-cutting moves before base rates hit single-digit level. It could take until Christmas, cry the bears - who recall that Opec is still in session, that the US economy is very weak, and that oil prices may continue

to weaken But the Chancellor has no time, presumably, for such theoretical niceties. Gilts have a different role, apparently, in his scheme of things. They exist to lead the markets down, pushing equities ahead in the process. This in turn helps the Government to evade the constraints of the young turks by facilitating the privatization programme. The process is circular, but the operational gearing is

The authorities, for example, must be delighted at the amount of foreign capital sucked into the British market through partly-paid stocks. Such foreign capital will constitute a marvellous sump of cash for the autumn privatization programme. provided foreign gill holders do not take fright at the scale of negative carry in London, take their profits and depart. A similar-line of argument ought to apply to the Budget's ambitious projections for real

disposable income growth and base rate cuts. On this basis, if gilts fall seriously, then the operational gearing built into the Budget could, if thrown into reverse, threaten the bulk of the programme. The lagging relationship between gilts and traditional

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fundamentals plus the policy role for gilts in the privatization programme makes the good will vacuum created by a coffee-table Red Book quite critical. The acerbic relationship between Square Mile analysts and the Chancellor. strained anyway in the run-np to March 18 by the series of false trails put down by Whitehall, means that City thinkers will be less inclined than ever to give the Chancel-

for the benefit of the doubt, assuming some of the numbers occasionally look awkward Faced with this delicate interplay between promise and fulfilment, will the Bank play a leading role and pro-vide the gilt market with discreet support at current levels, hence marking a re-

turn to a more traditional role in its gilt market operations? The arguments in favour of such a policy response must be compulsive, not least be-cause the Bank will not be keen to see a major correction to gilt yields some six months before Big Bang. Some of the

more exuberant players could be wiped out even before they reach the starting line. Some analysts claimed to see signs of a new order emerging last week, even as the market boomed. The EMS rumour was trundled out yet again each time the

market showed signs of flagging, even though officials admit the Cabinet must be temperamentally opposed to Europe's obsession with gridshifting. Perhaps the authorities will be keener to stabilize the market at current levels, rather than see it shooting further ahead. This may be the muted message in Friday's switch from partly paid stocks to taplets.

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made managing director.

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March is the beight of the results season on the USM and this year is proving to be especially rewarding for longterm backers of the market as the stream of good results share prices.

Smaller companies were very much out of fashion in the latter half of 1985 as investors felt that ratings were too bigh given the risk element and problems of illiquidity in the shares. Several shares have returned to favour, however, and many of the sparkling results are coming from the less glamorous sectors. Alida Holdings, for example, reported a 77 per cent increase in pretax profits last week.

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Behind these bald figures lies a tale of technical innovation which has succeeded in both revitalizing the company and recovering a substantial share of polythene bag sales previously lost to imports.

In 1980, Alida began to develop a polyethelene material known as linear low density polythene; this provides much stronger bags than conventional polythene while using only about a third as

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also capable of taking better quality print, enabling the performing very well bui opercompany to sell bags at higher value-added margins. With the improvement in

quality, Alida' has won contracts to supply many of the bags used by the big retailers. At the beginning of 1984 the company embarked on a £6 million capital expenditure programme which is two

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holders should take up their

rights Another USM company

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At the halfway stage, turn-

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Profits for 1986 are forecast Isabel Unsworth

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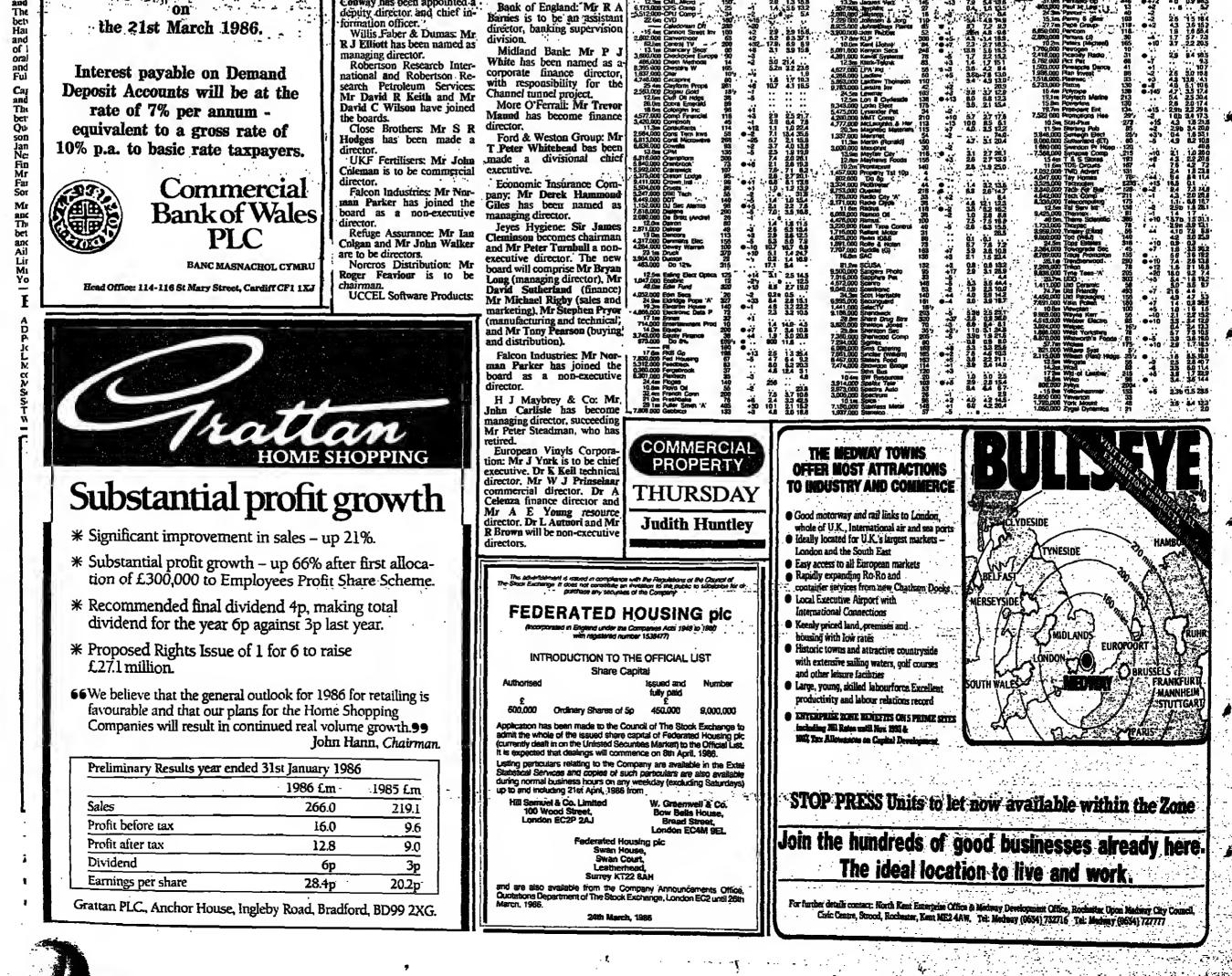
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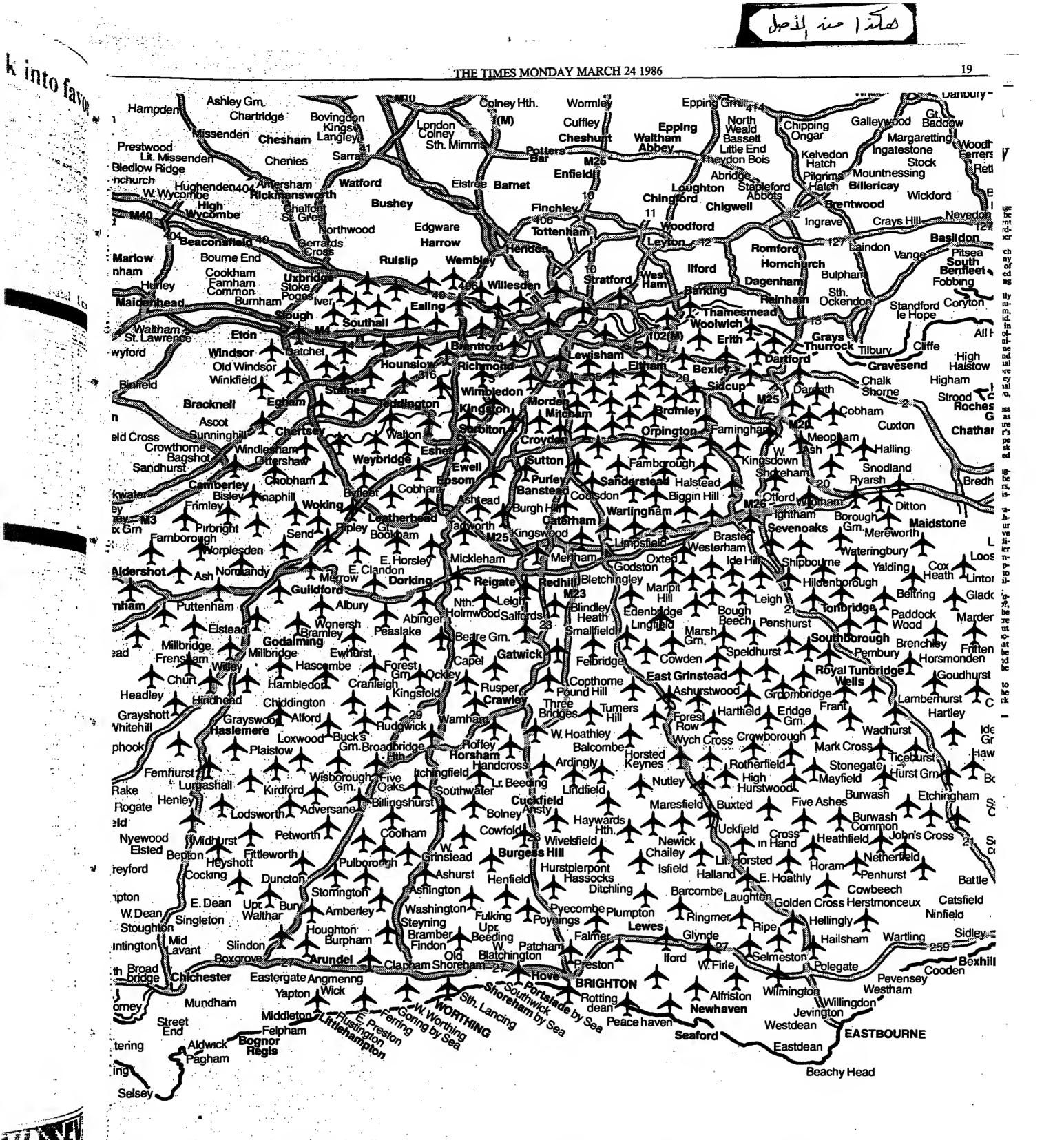
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# What's Smarter? Owning Hotels Where People Want To Stay Or Where They Have To Stay?

During the past 10 years, Ladbroke Hotels have become one of the top two hotel chains in Britain.

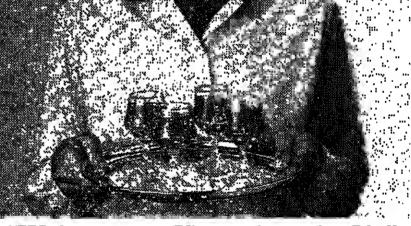
We've done it by building and buying businesslike hotels that businessmen like.

You'll find us in London, Leeds and Edinburgh, certainly, but we're also in the kind of towns often neglected by the more staid hotel groups.



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Watford, Leyland, Teesside, Huddersfield and Hornchurch all feature on our list. (Just as they do on a lot of executives' itineraries.)



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Wherever we are, you'll find a good *"Welcome to Hornchurch, Sir."* restaurant, comfortable rooms (our Gold Star rooms are really like mini-suites) and a friendly welcome.

All at the right price for the customer – and for us. (Last year, Ladbroke Hotels contributed £20 million to Group profits.)

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By next winter we'll have invested  $\pounds$ 15 million bringing the 22 hotels we bought from Comfort up to Ladbroke standards.

Good news for businessmen, everywhere. Well, almost everywhere.

# Ladbroke. The Far From Leisurely Leisure Group.

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By contrast. Tate's 1.13

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#### COMPANY NEWS

GLC grants illegal beyond abolition SMITH & NEPHEW: Total dividend for 1985, 4.65p (3.79p. dividend for 1983, 4.05p (3, 199, adjusted). One-for-one scrip is-sue proposed. Sales £423 mil-loon (£374.1 million). Pretax profit £70.6 million (£55.5 mil-lion). Earnings per share, before extraordinary items, 11.83p (8 %)

ster City Council and Others CONSULTANTS (COM-Before Lord Justice O Connor, Lord Justice Parker and Lord PUTER & FINANCIAL): Tota

dividend for 1985 0.75p (0.25p). Justice Parker and Lord Turnover £2.17 million Judgment given March 20] (£550,000). Pretax profit Decisions made by the £971,000 (loss £90,000). Earn- Greater London Council in February 1986, allocating funds

minster City Council and seven million, 12 million, Earn, other councils in Greater Lon-ings per share, 9p (6.8p). SUPERDRUG STORES: Justice Macpherson (*The Times* Total dividend for the year to America application for judicial review. £164.28 million (£131.58 million) The subject matter of the lion). Pretax profit £10.35 mil-lion 1£8.73 million). appeal related to decisions by e GLC for the allocation of (i) • SALE TILNEY: Total divi- £40 million to the Inner London dend for the year to Nov. 30. Interim Education Authority 6.5p (4.7p). Pretax profit £4.1 (ILIEA); (ii) £25 million to million (£3.1 million). Earnings establish a central reserve fund

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SHELDON JONES: Half-

the ILIEA was to be found in

that power for that decision was to be found to section 97 of the Local Government Act 1985. That section onliged the GLC to cooperate with the London borough councils and with any new euthority to which the GLC functions were to be transferred. Mr Collins submitted that section 97 did not give the GLC power to fund the ILIEA. Mr Henderson submitted that the section imposed a new duty on the GLC so that cooperation to facilitate the implementation of the Act was itself a function. He submitted that even if section 97 itself did not give the power, it did so when read in conjunction with section 111 of. Local Government Act the

1977 Mr Justice Macpherson dealt of grants with those submissions in his judgment and held that as n matter of construction he preferred Mr Henderson's argument

His Lordship could not agree with that construction and could find no function of the GLC requiring or permitting it to fund ILIEA.

The section imposed a duty to cooperate with ILIEA but his Lordship was unable to read fato into that dury a power to give £40 million to ILJEA. That particular decision should be quashed.

Next, his Lordship considered the decision to fund voluntary organizations to 1986. Another report, PR127, had made a curriculum. In his Lordhship's judgment detailed analysis of the pros-pects of the voluntary organizait

justice Browne, who gave the judgment of the court, ap-proached the matter on the basis tions funded by the GLC in 1985/86 getting grants from other sources and concluded that there would be a overall Report PR137 dated February 7, 1986, which recommended shortfall in 1986/87 of £25 million. It was obvious that if the GLC

the current year. It might be looked upon as a single sum which would be applied for purposes which began to the was to make money available it would have to set up and fund a would have to set up and rund a scheme before April 1. The scheme proposed to the report was to identify a number of voluntary organizations which had been funded in 1985/86 who would be willing and could be trusted to hold substantial number of money for distribution current year. There was nothing in the decision of the Hnuse of Lords which showed that they disagreed in any way with the judgment of Lord Justice sums of money for distribution to nominated or other voluntary organizations for identified pur-His Lordship had come to the conclusion that the validity of

the Manchester scheme de-pended on the fact that it was for poses and up to a stated the current year and not an ongoing scheme. Whatever else could besaid about the umbrella maximum. It was not disputed that each of the voluntary organizations could be given assistance by way

cheme it was not expenditure for the current year. Mr Henderson submitted that The judge had held that the the umbrella scheme could not be distinguished from what was abolition of a local authority was no different from a political done to Manchester City Counchange of control. His Lordship could not agree. In reality the GLC was trying to make next cil v Greauer Manchester County Council ((1980) 78 LGR 71 (CA) Council ((1980) 78 LGR-71 (CA) 560 (HL)) and approved 25 lawful by the House of Lords. In that case Greater Manches-ter County Council established a trust for the parpose of provid-ing free or assisted places at independent schools and n pay-ment of £1.12 million was made ULC was trying to make next year's grant in the current year and that could not be justified. That itself was sufficient to distinguish the present case from the Manchester case. For those reasons his Lordto the trust by the county council for the purpose of paying the educational costs of the children chosen to start at schools in September 1978 through their seven-year

ship would also hold that the Roundhouse scheme was unlawful. Both decisions would be quashed. Lord Justice Parker and Lord

Justice Nourse delivered concurring Judgments. Solicitors: Mr G. Matthew tves; Mr R. A. Lanham.

that the expenditure by the

county council was made in

respect of a scheme beginning in

was quite clear that Lord

# Taking new-born baby into care

neglected or his health is being avoidably impaired or neglected or he is being ill-treated". Mr Nicholas Medawar, QC and Miss Barbara Slomnicka for

for the mother. LORD JUSTICE STEPHEN BROWN said that the child was prematurely born on March 12, 1985 to a mother who was addicted 10 heroto and heroin. substitutes. At birth the child was suffer-

At print the child was sufficient ing from drug withdrawal symp-toms and was taken to hospital where her condition deter-orated. She was kept in inten-sive care for several weeks immediately following her hirth. The council decided to seek a

care order from the juvenile court under the 1969 Act and the child was represented by a guardian ad litem. The justices found that the

mother had been a registered drug addict since 1982 and had drug addict since 1982 and had been taking drugs for about ten years. Throughout her preg-nancy she had continued to take - child to events which had taken. drugs in excess of those pre-scribed for her and she knew

section 1(2)(a) which conferred power on a conrt to make a care order on the application of, inter continued to be addicted to drugs and remained so on the

final day of the hearing. The justices took the view that a child's development was a the council; Mr James continuing process which en-topher Critchlow for the guard-ian ad hiem; Mr Paul W. Reid events to the past life of the child, even during the time when it was a foctus in the

womb, were relevant. Therefore they considered that they were entitled to have regard to the mother's abuse of regard to the mother's abuse of ... her own hodily health during ... pregnancy when deciding whether the condition in section 1(2)(a) of the 1969 Act was proved. They decided that the child came within that section and made the bare order. yet to be born.

First, was the living child's - The Divisional Court said that the mother had had no opportunity to care for the child since birth and no conduct by her could have been said to have

affected the health of the child. Therefore they held that the, would be perfectly proper to do conditions of section 1(2)(a) had so in considering the second questro

LORD JUSTICE DILLON. agreeing, said that where the statutory scheme applied there was no scope for wardship proceedings. The jovenile court was fully cutitled to be satisfied that the primary conditions for child's modical condition at wardship proceedings, How were satisfied. birth was a direct result of ever, section i(2)(a) of the 1969 Solicitors: Mr D.C.H. Wil-deliberate and excessive taking Act war and the section of the 1969

### Tate builds up defences in British Sugar battle By Michael Prest, Financial Correspondent New moves in the highly cracy responsible for Ferruzzi does not publish a (9.8p).

political three-cornered battle competition policy. As Europe's biggest sugar and says one will not be for control of British Sugar conglomerate, Ferruzzi is al- available until 1987. Corporation, the S & W Berisford subsidiary, are likely this ready familiar with the ways

week. The latest potential bidder. lobbyists have been busy. Tate & Lyle, the sugar compadefensive. It fears that should ny, raised its stake in Berisford Ferruzzi succeed in taking to 8.2 per cent last week. Brilish Sugar out of the million lonnes. joining the Italian group Berisford camp the new group Ferruzzi with 9 per cent and would be too powerful. the food conglomerate Hills-Ferruzzi would control up to down with 10.4 per cent.

23 per cent of European sugar Berisford recently made a beet quotas, and around 30 £35 million provision against losses from the tin debacle. per cent of consumption. saw its 1985 pretax profits million tonnes of cane sugar in slump, and has been forced to Britain and 160,600 tonnes in withdraw from trading on the Portugal give it a little more London Metal Exchange. than 9 per cent share of a

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But it has suddenly found itself valued at £435 million. around 14 million lonnes. largely because of the one division which is really profitable. Berisford's share price is of the British market, which up from 134p at the beginning runs at a static or slightly falling 2.3 million tonnes of the year to 230p.

British Sugar remains an attractive property despite a less lucrative EEC sugar regime under which output and prices are controlled.

Last year the corporation made £53.6 million pretax. £10 million less than when Berisford bought it in 1982 but more than the whole of Berisford's profits and it is still a useful contribution to any group. Europe by the African, Carib-bean and Pacific countries

British Sugar has some of the most modern refining capacity in Europe and has invested heavily io new products.

thorities in London and Brus-But the decisive action will be on the lohhying front in the corridors of Brussels and London rather than boardrooms and bourses.

the Department of Trade and notably producing separate Industry, the Office of Fair annual accounts, can apply to Trading, and Directorate a largely private foreign General IV, the EEC bureau- company.

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sels may not look kindly on a grouping as powerful as either Ferruzzi-British Sugar or Tate-British Sugar, London would have to con-Interested parties include sider whether the conditions the National Farmers Union, attached to the Berisford acthe Ministry of Agriculture, quisition of British Sugar

scheme

A 400,000-sq ft shopping centre for Glasgow's

City of London and European Property, part of the Arbuthnot Group, a subsidiary of Dow Chemical, and Europe's biggest shopping centre developer, Societe des Centres Commerciaux, have put in a planning application

£150 million 83 per cent TREASURY LOAN, 1997 £100 million 8 per cent TREASURY LOAN, 2002-2006 The price paid by the Bank on issue was in each case the middle market closing price of the relevant Loan on 21st March 1986

as certified by the Government Broker. In each case, the amount issued on 21st March 1986 represents

£150 million 9 per cent TREASURY LOAN, 1994

New shopping THIS NOTICE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN OFFER FOR SALE AND THE LOANS LISTED BELOW ARE NOT AVARIABLE FOR PURCHASE DIRECT FROM THE BANK OF ENGLAND. OFFICIAL OFALINGS IN THE LOANS ON THE STOCK EXCHANGE ARE EXPECTED TO COMMENCE ON MONDAY, 24TH MARCH 1986. for Glasgow

ISSUES OF GOVERNMENT LOANS Sauchiehall Street is planned. Tha Bank of England announces that Her Majesty's Treasury has created on 21st March 1986, and has issued to the Bank, idditional emounts as indicated of aach of the Loans listed

10 Glasgow District Council Savacentre, the retailer jointly owned by Brilish Home Stores and J Sainsbury,

is interested in other parts of Berisford, including its 15 per cent stake in Ranks Hovis

the letter or spirit of such monopolies legislation. Yet so extreme a prospect might be preferable in Whitehall's eyes to European domination by Fernuzzi.

consolidated balance sheet

There is also the complex

question of British sugar poli-

cy. Whitehall is committed to

increasing Britain's sugar quo-

ta - the amount produced -

from its present level of 2.2

likely to be advanced by

introducing a competitor

which might force the closure

in east London, or try to sell in

But trickiest of all is the

possibility of a Tate-British Sugar link. On the face of it,

nothing could be further from

of Tate's Silvertown refinery.

Britain Continental beet sug-

ar, or both.

That objective is hardly

A comhined Tate and British Sugar group would still have less of the European Tate also fears that because its margins are thinner than those of beet refiners, it is market than the Italians, and therefore could commend itvulnerable to dumping in the British market by Ferruzzi, especially from Beghin-Say,

self to Brussels. Since there is not much intra-community trade in sugar abuse might not arise But in the very political world of

Tate is likely to argue that sugar a group as big as Ferruzzi-British Sugar would its position as the main outlet for the sugar exported to wield great influence. For all these reasons there is

smart money on Hillsdown. It also is a largely private group, the directors and their families holding more than half of the couity

Hillsdown is run from Hampstead High Street and has grown rapidly in recent years to embrace such names

as Buxted Poultry, Smedley's, and the FMC meat group. Unlike its rivals. Hillsdown

McDougall.

3.56p (5.17p). THOMAS WALKER: Half-

million). Pretax profit £608,000 (£886.000). Earnings per share

 BUDDINGTONS' BREW-ERIES: Total dividend 3.25p (2.85p) for 1985. Turnover £72,93 million (£51.58 million).
 Pretax profit £11.73 million (£9.45 million). Earnings per share 8.28p (6.95p).
 A & G SECURITY ELECTRONICS: Six months to Jan. 31, 1986. Interim divi-dend 0.475p (0.475p). mayable dend 0.475p (0.475p), payable May 12 Turnover £1.65 million (£1.95 million). Pretax profil £301,000 [£405.000]. Earnings

per share per share 1.65p (2.15p). ● T CLARKE: Total dividend for 1985, 23.1 per cent (same) Turoover £29.5 million (£26.3)

year to Dec. 31, 1985. Interim dividend 0.17p (0.167p), pay-able on May 7, Turnover £1,28 million (£1.21 million). Pretax profit £96,000 (£102,000), Earn-

ings per share 5.1 p lloss 1.2 p). February 1986, allocaung funds ♥ WICKES: As stated in the to benefit certain organizations

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per share. 17p (15.8p). BRONX ENGINEERING: Year to Nov. 30. Pretax profil £119,000 (loss £645,000). Turn-over £10.91 million (£7.15 mil-tion) Tous dividend unchanged

amden. The GLC was granted leave to

SHELDON JONES: Half- pear to Nov. 30. 1985. Interim dividend 1.35p (same), payable April 25. Turnover £6.07 million, Pretax profit £254,000 (£265,000). Earnings 2.98p (2.79p).
 BODDINGTONS' BREW-ERIES: Total dividend 3.25p for 1985. Turnover

La re D Before Lord Justice Dillon, Lord Justice Stephen Brown and Lord Justice Woolf

[Judgment given March 19] It was proper in law for a court 10 find that the condition under section 1(2)(e) of the Children and Young Persons Act 1969 was satisfied in circumstances where the child had never been in the care of its parents or out of the care of responsible agencies.

The condition was capable of being satisfied where the ev-idence of the child's proper development being avoidably prevented or neglected or its health being avoidably impaired or neglected or its being ill-treated related to when the child was in its mother's work was in its mother's womh

The Court of Appeal so held allowing an eppeal by the Berk-shire County Council from a decision of the Divisional Court

3.9p (3.6p). • RENISHAW: Six months to Dec. 31, 1985. Interim dividend 0.7p (0.6p). million (£6.74 million). Pretax allowed an appeal by the guard-0.7p (0.6p). Turnover £8.49 million (£6.74 million). Pretax profit £2.21 million (£1.92 mil-lion. Earnings per share 5.03p (3.95p). • BLAGDEN INDUSTRIES: • Mr A.R Sparrow, the chairman, order.

that hy doing so she could be causing damage to her child. They also found that the The condition required by,

which had the effect of impair-ing the child's health were avoidable and could be in the contemplation of the court and would justify the care order.

LORD JUSTICE WOOLF. agreeing, said that it was quite clear that "child" did not mean a focus but meant a child that had been born. Section 70(1) of the 1969 Act

defined "child" as "a person under the age of 14", "Person" denoted someone who was live ing and nol someone who had

The proper approach to sec-tion 1(2)(a) was to ask two

proper development being pre-vented or neglected or his health being impaired or neglected? Second, was that avoidable?

in regard to the first question it would not be proper to look at the situation before birth but it

a further trancha of tha relevant Loan, ranking in all respects part passu with that Loan and subject to the terms and conditions applicable to that Loan, and subject also to the provision contained in the final paragraph of this notice; the current provisions for Capital Gains Tax are described below.

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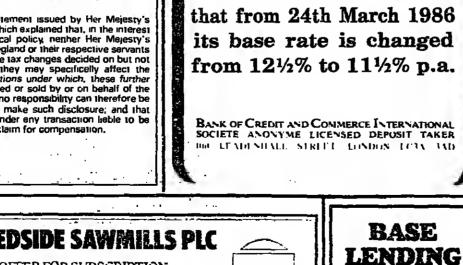
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Mr A R Sparrow, the chairman, says in his annual statement that

he hopes to see a significant

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• INDUSTRIAL SCOTLAND ENERGY: Results for 1985, compared with the previous 15

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It was also contended by the guardian ad filem-that the appropriate procedure would be

Act was apt to cover the facts of liams, Reading; Rowberry, Mor-the present case. It was plain that those events Blandy, Reading.

# mance of the activities in Brit-ain in the current year, leading to improved group results. • HTV GROUP: Half-year to Jaa. 31, 1986. Interim dividend 2.8p (2.5p), payable on May 6. Turnover £50.12 million, (£50.67 million). Pretax profit £4.34 million (£3.93 million). Ship is 'equipment' under liability Act

#### The Derbyshire

Before Mr Justice Sheen [Judgment given March 14] A ship was "equipment" within the meaning of section (1)(n) of the Employers' Liabil-ity (Defective Equipment) Act 1969, Mr Justice Sheen held in the Admiralty Court of the Queen's Bench Division on a preliminary point.

Accordingly the plaintiffs, Mrs Eugenia Coltman and Mrs Alisia Martin, administratrices of the estate of Leo Coltman, who was the third engineer on the Derbyshire when she sank with the loss of all hands off the coast of Japan about September 10, 1980 could bring an action for damages against the ship-owners, Bibby Tankers Ltd.

Section 1(1) of the 1969 Act provides: "(1) Where ... (n) an employee suffers personal injury in the course of his employment in consequence of a defect in equipment provided by his employer for the purposes of the employer's business; and (b) the employer's outsiness; and (a) the defect is altributable wholly or partly to the feult of a third party (whether identified or not), the injury shall be deemed to be also injury shall be deemed to be also attributable to negligence on the part of the employer | whether or not he is liable in respect of the injury apart from this sub-section), but without prejudice to the law relating to contribu-tory negligence and to any remedy by way of contribution of in contract or otherwise which is available to the emwhich is available to the em-ployer in respect of the

(3) In this section equipment" includes any plant

the plaintiffs; Mr R. Hay for the

MR JUSTICE SHEEN said that the Derbyshire was an "OBO" carrier of 91,650 gross-registered tons, about 964 feet to length and 144 feet in beam and built in 1976 by Swan Hunter Shipbuilders Ltd. At the time of her loss she was on a voyage from Canada to Japan via the Cape of Good Hope laden with

iron ore. It was contended by the plaintiffs that the design and plaintiffs that the design and construction of the ship were defective in that her longindinals were not continu-ous through the transverse bulk-head at frame 65 in accordance with the Lloyd's Rules then to force.

It was submitted that because of such defects the Derbyshire was unseaworthy; that she broke in two at about frame 65, which was inimediately forward of the bridge and accommodation with the result that the after superstructure and bridge sank rapidly. In the statement of claim

there were allegations of negligence on the part of the owners in failing to ensure that the ship was constructed properly.

There was a further allegation that the deceased lost his life in the course of his employment in consequence of a defect io equipment provided by his employers for the purpose of his

employers' business and the loss of life had to be deemed to be attributable to negligence on the

and machinery, vehicle, aircraft and clothing; "personal iojury" includes loss of life..." he defendants without Miss Belinda M. Bucknall for against the shipbuilders by virtue of the provisions of the 1969 ACE

The defendants denied that 

of carriage, conveyance or trans-port, a receptacle to which enything was placed to order to be moved. Miss Bucknall said that that definition embraced all forms of conveyance, including Mr Hay submitted that in the

shipping industry e ship con-stituted a mariner's place of work and the machinery on board was the equipment and drew an analogy between a ship as the equivalent of factory premises on the one hand and plant and machinery as equip-

plant and machinery as equip-ment on the other. His Lordship said that that might be a fair analogy concern-ing the words "plant" and "machinery" but the Act de-fined "equipment" to include any vehicle and aircraft.

If a ship was the equivalent of the premises in which the crew worked and if they were provided with equipment in the form of plant, machinery or clothing one asked why the same was not true of a Boeing 747.

If foreign courts were willing

ferent from the present case, where the only prejudice to the

defendants was that the proceedings against them might

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It was a legitimate aid to construction to consider the mischief the statute was intended to remedy. It was clear that the Act was

passed to give an injured workman a right to recover damages from his employer if his injury vas attributable to any defect to equipment provided by the employer for the purpose of his busine

Before the passing of the Act a workman would have had to seek a remedy from a supplier or

seek a remedy from a supplier or manufacturer who might be to a foreign country, untraccable or not worth suing. It was to be presumed that Parliament did not iotend to pass an Act which on its true construction would be mani-festly united or absent

firstly unjust or absurd. It would be absurd and un-just, Miss Bucknall said, if a steward on a train or on an aircraft had the benefit of the Act and not a train or on a chin

Act and not a steward on e ship. Likewise the absurdity which would result from accepting the would result from accepting the defendants' construction could be illustrated. It could be as-sumed that loss of life resulted from the sinking of a ship. Dependants would have a remedy against the shipowners if the disaster occurred because of an explosion in her defective machinery but as meredicity.

machinery but no remedy if the ship was so badly constructed that she broke in two parts and sank without any explosion.

Parliament could not have intended any absurd or unjust result. The ship was "equipment" within the mean-ing of section 1 of the 1969 Act. Solicitors: Evill & Coleman Holman Fenwick & Willan.

Court order facts are usable in foreign case such information to start achave to have resort to assets in tions abroad based on the same cause of action against persons other countries, particularly those in which no English judgment would be enforced, so

as to prevent a defendant from frustrating any judgment the plaintiff might obtain, by disposing of his assets in foreign His Lordship was not trou-bled by the lack of precedent, if the order would not offend jurisdictions as well.

to make orders similar to a Marera injunction, it would be pointless insularity for an En-glish court to put obstackes in the way of a plaintiff who-wished, with the aid of foreign courts, to enforce an English While a multiplicity of suits was not desirable, a distinction should be drawn between proceedings to preserve assets and litigation of the substantive courts, to enforce an English judgment against a defendant's

The pleinuff had no wish to litigate the merits in Austria and Switzerland and was willing to undertake, once protective n sures were to place, to apply for e stay of proceedings in the Swiss and Austrian courts, had jurisdiction to make such an order he did not, in view of the pending the decision of the English court on liability.

Judgment against a defendant's assets, wherever they might be. Halcon International The v Shell Transpore and Trading Co. [1979] RPC. 97), where the Court of Appeal refused to allow confidential documents to be disclosed for use in proceedings in The Netherlands, was dif-ferent from the present decision in Sony Corporation v Anand ((1981) 7 FSR 398) chal-If the effect of a Maresa injunction was to secure an adequate fund in this country, lenge the grant of leave to use the Anton Piller information for the purpose of proceedings seeking protective measures in foreign jurisdictions would be Here also the foreign proceed-ings were not separate, but were in reality ancillary. In this case merely oppressive; but if, as here, the fund in England was inadequate, the plaintiff might egainst other parties in Austria. but said there was no case in which the court had permitted

no criminal proceedings were contemplated.

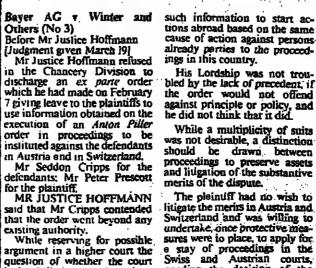
Mr Cripps submitted that if the order was permissible at all, it was too wide because it did not restrict the plaintiff to obtaining protective measures.

The order allowed unlimited use of the information in the designated Swiss and Austrian proceedings, including prosecution of the merits of the action.

The reason for imposing no restriction was that the court was not fully conversant with the steps necessary under Swiss and Austrian law to preserve the effectiveness of the protective measures.

Bat now the undertaking given by the plaintiff would adequately protect the defen-dants against litigation to a multiplicity of jurisdictions. Having considered other as-pects of the evidence, his Lord-ship said he would dismise the

ship said he would dismiss the motion to discharge or vary the order and would refuse an Solicitors: Piper Smith & Basham; Durrant Piesse



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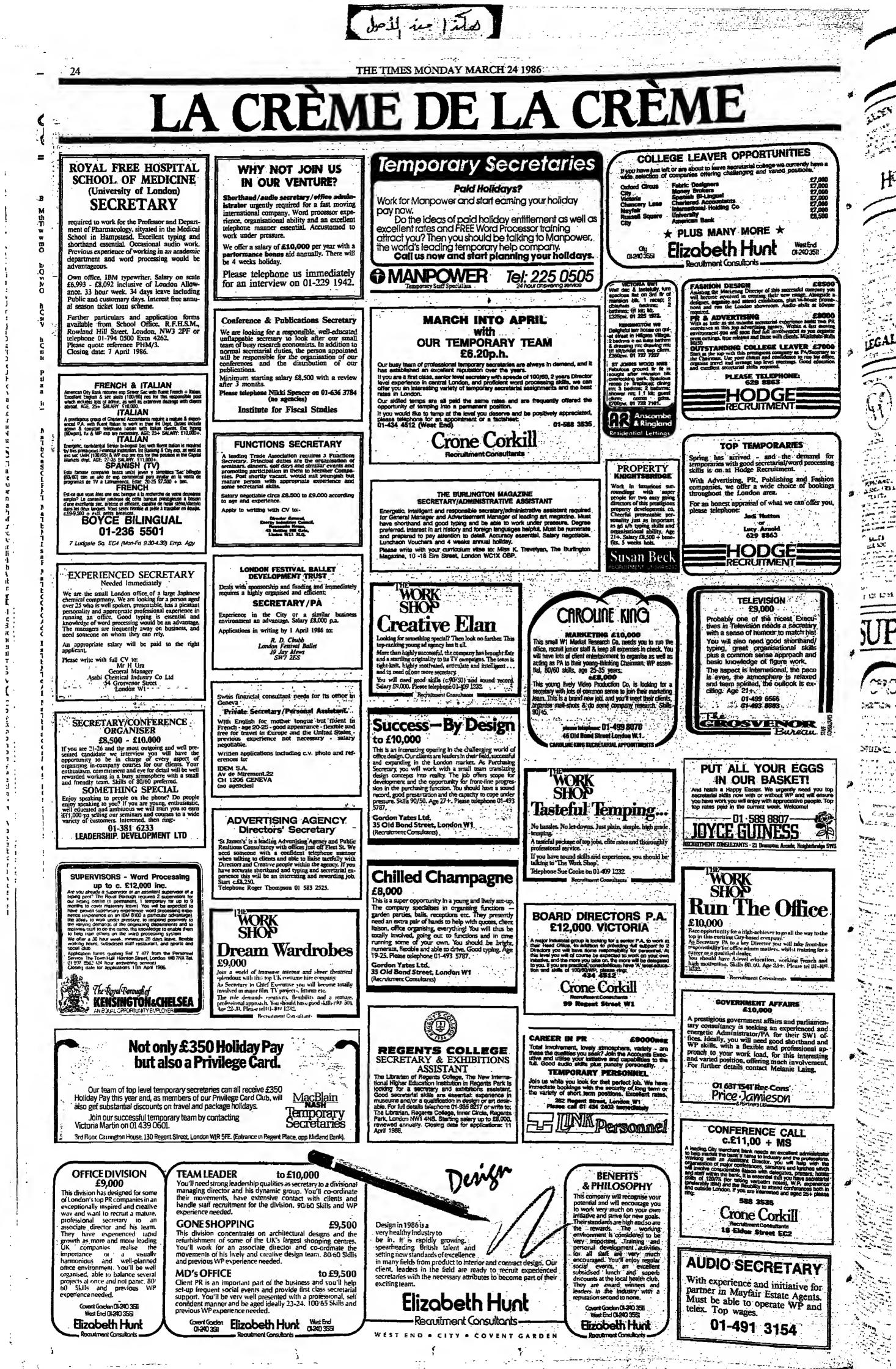
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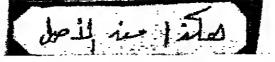
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HORIZONS)

Nine out of 10 adults listen to the radio on average for 20 hours a week. But working in radio can cover anything from being a sound recordist to Director of Programmes. Two of the most sought after slots are those of presenter, and producer.

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The BBC bas its own established entrance route into radio via the BBC Traince Scheme, Acceptance on the two year BBC production trainee scheme virtually assures a job at the end of it, but each September there are six places and more than 1,000 applicants. For the Local Radio Trainee Reporter scheme there are 12 places for 3,000 applicants. Perhaps from the outside world the most glamorous job is that of presenter. It is hard work making presentation sound easy. A good voice is a prerequisite and a number of actors and actresses bave become presenters. But it is also important to be able to write a good script and many presenters have some journalistic experience.

A producer will choose a presenter with the right kind of voice for a particular programme, for example a "sympathetic" voice for a programme on divorce and an "authoritative" voice for current affairs. To many listeners, the voice establishes not only the presenter's character, but that of the programme, and in local radio, the station.

Gill Pyrah, presenter of the Pyrah Programme on LBC, says, "It is impor-tant to have a good grounding. You must have an inquiring mind, understand the news, or your subject, and be able to express it well. On commercial radio particularly this involves doing much of your own research and preparation. You should be able to correct English on air

#### The skill lies in identifying a story

and make sense of ungrammatical, inaccurate cues. You have to be able to think on your feet and be able to talk your way out of anything."

For Gill Pyrah who is on air for two hours at a stretch each weekday, this means packing a lot into an eight-hour day. She needs time to research her subjects and read the papers, before making her introduction notes for each guest and outlining potential questions. An important skill is the facility of summing up speakers in advance - some will just freeze up and others will attempt. to bully the presenter.

Diana Goodman who bas just been appointed the BBC's first woman foreign correspondent, thinks news reporting "the best job in the world" but is under no illusion as to the toll it can take on personal life. "You have to have enormous stamina, and an ability to preserve. It is fundamental that you want to talk to people and it is a skill to get people to talk into a recorder ... you have to have an car for what makes sound." Within radio the other side of the

microphone often has more prestige.

Courses.

There is not yet a direct route into broadcasting. Corinne Julius examines

the vital prerequisites



Gill Pyrah: An inquiring mind

Continuing Education Programmes on BBC. To ber the delight of being a producer is that no day is ever the same. The producer is responsible for initiatng ideas, reading round the subject and talking to the relevant experts. Once an idea is decided upon, the producer selects the interviewer and interviewee. Each programme is mapped out and scripts checked with the presenter. The time in the studio spent recording and eutting tapes is relatively short. A producer is only as good as his or ber

last programme.

How do you get into these jobs? The routes often overlap and people change from production to presentation and to a limited extent vice versa. At present there are 32 BBC local radio stations in England and the Channel Islands and 48 commercial contractors. A local radio station is run by small professional staff under the guidance of a manager, one of those jobs is to encourage local people to broadcast. There are opportunities for making programmes of interest to the local community on a voluntary basis, especially for those who have worked in student broadcasting or hospital radio, This experience is belpful in getting a job in local radio.

David Harding, who got into local radio via education, became Network Manager and is now Deputy Editor of Current Affairs and Magazine Pro-grammes for BBC radio. He says that producers regularly listen to local radio output to seek out new talent.

According to Julian Holland, Editor of the Today programme, local radio is where "the business can be learnt, as you have to be a Jack (or Jill) of all trades." Mistakes can be made in a confined area. There is also less competition. Journal-Gavnor Shutte is a producer of the . ism is a common route into radio,

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although in radio journalism there is not time for tangential questions. "It is," says Julian Holland, "a more disciplined technique which can be taught or learns by experience."

Starting out as a freelance reporter is pretty daunting and journalistic training is probably an advantage. The skill lies in being able to identify a story, put it together, do the interviews and then to

sell it - to the Central Office of Information, one of the commercial stations or to the BBC. This approach requires perseverance, drive, enthusiasm and confidence but everyone agreed that it is foolish not to try. Producers are very keen to spot potential, but require proof of ability and reliability.

Gill Pyrah thinks that women are currently at an advantage both in production and in presentation. The BBC, in the light of a recent report by Monica Sims on Women in BBC Management, is likely to encourage women candidates. Women are increasingly finding jobs as producers and presenters but there are still very few in the more senior positions. Women have a further advantage in the traditional alternative route of becoming a secretary. In the BBC this is an established way to better things, particularly in production.

Michele Tidy is a typical graduate secretary hoping to make her way up. Currently a production secretary in Radio Drama, she thinks the possibility of promotion is good. But you "must do the job you are employed to do well. People will then notice you are competent and allow you to do more. Yon must make yourself indispensable and different."

#### Producers regularly. seek out new talent

The attachment programme is a recognised way of gaining promotion at all levels. Candidates apply for a short-term attachment, usually on a temporary basis, in another section. This often results in a permanent post. This system is used to develop staff across the board and is a further way of finding the right contacts. Within the BBC it is unusual to progress without going on attachment to a different department but no ultimate job change is guaranteed, and this can cause resentment and job dissatisfaction.

The message for those wanting to get. into radio is clear. It is very competitive but production end appointment staff are surprisingly fling to take to an aspiring employee. The opportunity has to be made by you.

For further information send a stamped addressed envelope to The Times, Special Reports (Radio) 1, Pennington Street, London El 9XN

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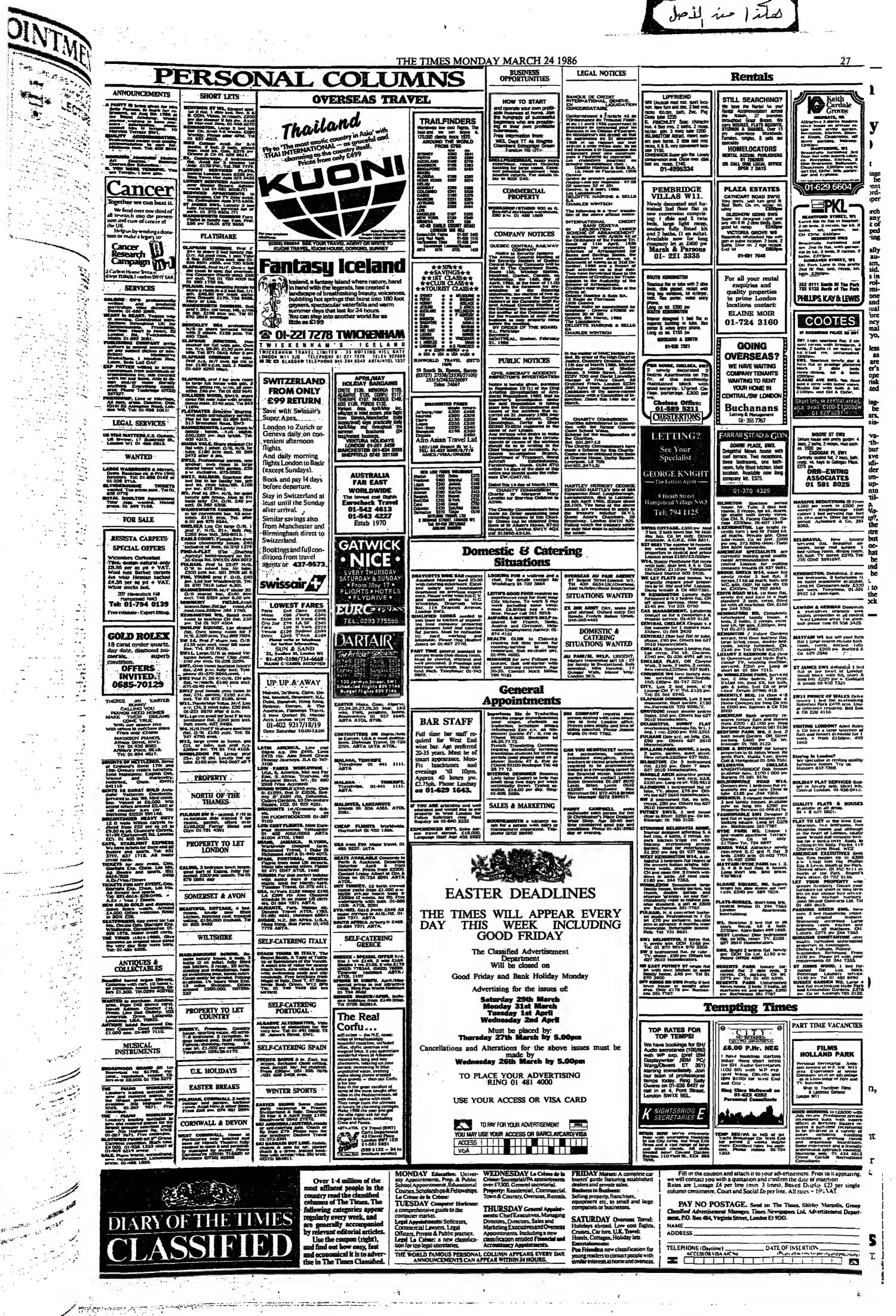
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AUSTRALIA O R Marsh run out ...... D C Boon c and b Gillespie ..... 'A R Border c Blair b Crowe ... O M Riache c Crowe b Haddee G R J Matthews c Wright b Bra tW B Philips run out ...... S Waugh b Hadlee ..... C J McDernott b Chatfield ..... O R Gibter com ot little between the other two Baid c Crowa b Chatfield - (w 2)

#### **Rameez** to aid of EBF Stakes. Pakistan

Colombo (Reuter) - Rameez Raja made his highest Test score of 73 not out to rescue Pakistan in the third and final Test Pakistan had slipped to 49 for three io reply to Sn Lanka's first inoings of 281 on the second day when Rameez arrived to inspire a recovery to 180 for five by the

Kaushik Amalean, a mediumfast bowler making his debut, dismissed both Mohsio Khan and Javed Miandad.

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insecting with an excuse for three winners, Lexador, Celtic implementing, this retrograde Ranger, and Owensville, at the change in policy, being held on Easton Harriers. Folkestone selections TON 3.45 ROCHESTER STAKES (£684: 6f) (18) 
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 00-0 DBLESKIN MIRS N Smith 9-0
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 M L Thormars Easton Harriers. Graham: PidgeoD saw Gatombe Park, Random Leg and Matchplay back io the winners: enclosure at the Grafton, but only the first was (07, 108, W 0, 1103) . the old Stockton course - later 1.45 Lady Pat. 2.15 Icen. 2.45 Icaro. 3.15 SCHULA (nap). 3.45 Mr McGregor. 4.15 Truely A K Cunninghi UNI GOLD (D 7-11 JLowe 1 renamed Teeside Park - where cars can be deft in nearby side OUICX STICKS (D Chapman) O Chapman 7-11 \_\_\_\_\_ TAWNY PIPTE (J Walcrd) A Madvar 7-11 \_\_\_\_\_ VALDOSTA (C Wildman) C Wildman 7-11 \_\_\_\_\_ 25 - FI MO Billy. SIFCEIS. 27 By Our Newmarket Correspondent 11-4 Sparsholt, 3-1 Peatswood Shooter, 4-1 Cold Lener, 11-2 Sutters Mill, 8-1 Kilverset, 12-1 Balley's Topline, 18-1 Others. There are arguments for and 2.15 Icen. 2.45 Icaro. 3.15 Thatchville. 3.45 against such a venue being used. It is financially rewarding, but After her win in the members she was sidelined again being kicked folowing a fall from Socich On The Rocks. Northern Gunner. 4.15 Truely Billy. not in the true spirit of the sport. Nonetheliss, Nigel Tutty enjoyed bimself with a first ever treble on Whiggie Geo, Mahogony Hall and Bally Way. Only half a length and a neck in two races prevented Peter Greenall from having five win-ters at the Hackaway Club, Pfide of Tullow was beaten by Rockia, Berry in the members and Song Of Life by Solidity in the open, on whom Lingi Carenza was having his second successive win. Of his three winners, Sandicliffe Boy, Stiebemore and Run Token, the not in the true spirit of the sport. 2.15 ALKHAM SELLING HANDICAP (£739: 1m 2f) Leicester selections (14)By Mandarin 
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 Having entered the wioners enclosure for the first time last R Cochrane 4 2.15 Sutters Mill 2.45 Sweet Gemma. 3.15 Apple Wine. 3.45 Bright As Night. 4.15 Hubbards Lodge. 4.45 Volida - R Guest 11 C Rutter (5) 3 enclosure for the first time last week Amanda Harwood, Guy Harwood'o daughter, had a dou-ble at the Crawley and Horsham on two of her father's horses, Lawn Meet and Red Shih. At the Weston and Baiwell Jane Southcombe rode a well-judged race on Gerry Doyle to wio a Extras (0 4, 10 1, w 1, nb 7) By Our Newmarket Correspondent Total (5 wids) \_\_\_\_\_\_ 180 Wasim Akram, Abdul Qadir, Zakir Khan and †Zukamain to bet. 400/ L 2.15 Petrus Seventy. 3.15 Jack's Island. 3.45 Bright As Night. 4.15 Hubbards Lodge. 4:45 Glikiaa Mou. FALL OF WICKETS: 1-24, 2-32, 3-49, 4 4.15 SHORNCLIFFE STAKES (3-y-o: £684: 1m 4f) By Michael Seely BOWLING (to date): de Mei 15.5-2-53-1; Amelean 11-0-45-2; Ratnayeko 15-1-70-2; Anurzaini 4-2-7-0. 

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 3.15 BOLD ILLUSION (nap). 3.45 Bright As Night. 4.45 Niccold race on Gerry Doyle to wio a ding-dong battle with Bergenrose. She was the rider of Polly Toodle last week to whom 11-4 O'G Boy, 3-1 Vargly Rei, 4-1 Charlsma Music, 6-1 Greatest Hits, 8-1 Hot Betty, 10-1 Blair's Winnie, 12-1 Ican, 14-1 others. ROWING 2.45 BILLESDON SELLING HANDICAP (2708: 1m) (12) Sliebemore and Run Token, the maiden race probably gave my stutter inadvertanly gave an C24001- SMARE RIVER (R Bickley) D Nicholson 4-9-11 S30041- FRISCO (J Papin) R Akohurst 4-9-16 C00000- CAVALIERAVANTGARDE (Canalier Carpets Lid) P Wigham 4 000/00- SMATTSAWARD (USA) (Init J Microdith) B Prece 4-9-1 000/00- SMEET GEMINA (H Davies) N Tintier 4-8-13 C000/00- TURIFFONTEIN (S Guest) M Britain 4-8-13 C30040- DAMEEDANCER (B) (Canadoury Stables) K Commingham Brown Pat Eddery 1 **British repel** 2.45 KINGSNORTH HANDICAP (3-y-o: £1,082: 1m maniclem raice probably gave Cascalitative POREST: Humt Vale of Welton, Adj. Collio-Honour. Open: An-other Simon. Ladleuc Leans Lord. Rest Same Knews. Man & Victors Star. Man E: He Green: CRAWLEY & HORRMANE: Humt Lawn Meet. Rest Bulcheck. Ladleuc Red Snah. Open: Logen: Adj. Physics: Man I: Adj. Hongen: Adj. Physics. Man I: Adj. Honge Man & Ocamilo, Rest. Rock-leus Ret. Adj. Tas. Open: Valcor Janog. Collivite: Nume: Roo Consilo. Rest. Rock-leus Ret. Adj. Tas. Open: Valcor Janog. Collivite: Nume: Roo Consilo. Rest. Rock-leus Ret. Adj. Tas. Open: Valcor Janog. Control Maintena Const. Skip High Gay. Adj. Honge Wager. Open: Ladleuc Mickely. Mat. Conversile. FIZZWILLIAN: Humt: Thorps Lare. Adj. Lado. Open: Collin Bon E: Children Mickely. Meet E: Amora Bridge. Starton Hall Matt. Castle Rest. Adj. Barton Log. Open: Rest. Adj. Ladleuc Mickely. Mat. Concernit Writin. Man E: Kasewills. Rest Concernities. GRAFTON: Haat: Classonito Part. Adj. E Surgion. Rest E: Bright Tigne. Ladlee: Reston Log. Open: Rest. Math. B. Concer. Bruth Ponts. Skip Finder. Open. Conto Approach. 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Robs NARWERS: Num: GBW Bornps. Adi: La Jour Fortune. Open: Cukk: Fissh, Ladles: Mendo Express. Rest: Handy Mark, Mide I: Spirit of Andy, Nide & Lord Barney, Val E of the Start Cando, Nide & Lord 41) (7) 2 St1- ICARD N Cataghan 9-7 \_\_\_\_\_ G Cantor (5) 7 3 200- HOLDAY HILL P Kotoway 9-6 \_\_\_ Goy Ketoway (5) 2 4 404- HELENS PLEASURE I Matthews 9-6 \_\_\_ W Woods (3) 6 5 000- NOKTHANCH G Backing 9-1 \_\_\_\_\_ J Wildens 5 8 900- RED BILLY C Brittan 9-2 \_\_\_\_ C Rutter (5) 4 9 000- RED BILLY C Brittan 9-2 \_\_\_\_ C Rutter (5) 4 invasion Kint Tinkler (7) • West Tip signalled he is right on target for another crack at the Grand National with a by Italians J Williams C Flutter (5) A Niackey y 7-9 \_\_\_\_\_ O Brown 4-8-9T Ives ( D Nicholis I M Wood 12 W Carson I J Lowe 2 8 900- RED BILLY C Britain 8-2 8 000- FOUL SHOT W Musson 7-12 10 430- THE WOODEN HUT R Voorspuy 7-9 splendid victory under top weight at Newbury on Saturday. Mecca make him 10-1 joint favourite with Mr Snugfii for Aintree, while Hills offer 12-40000- MEGANOT (S Heliwell) O Chapman 4-8-8 000- VAAGLY TYNESOME (F Bowy List Tyron) C Thater 3-8-7 00- THE DADDER (Altas M Forsylth & Herman 3-8-0 00000- RACEFORM MAPSOLY (Child C Pall) O Micro 3-7-7 By Jim Railton 5-2 Icaro, 3-1 Helen's Pleasure, 9-2 Red Billy, 6-1 Holiday Mill, 8-1 The Wooden Hut, 12-1 Foul Shot, 14-1 Northinch, The threat from the Medi-terranean to the Tideway Head 9-4 Prisco, 5-2 Snake River, 9-2 Sweet Bersma, 8-1 Pan Taux, 10-1 Dan terranean to the Tideway Head of the River title was thwarted on Saturday. The British heavy-weight eight, with three Olym-pie gold medal winners on board, had a shade more thao 20 seconds to spare over the tal-ented British lightweights, with Campania, the Italians, who had seven Olympic consumer in dancer, 14-1 BOWLS TENNIS 3.15 KINGFISHER HANDICAP (22,470: 1m 4f) (20) Cutts books a Strong boys and weak G Starbay Pat Eddary 1 G Daffield S Parks 1 I Willens 1 MicShin 13 G G Marr, was is over a spen or next Spencon. Adj: Starwey. VALE OF CLETTWR: Hunt: Spencon. Adj: Far Better. Open: Chambery, Ledles: Blonde Princesses. PPOA: Hooded Grow. Mda: Wool Island. WWH Heat: Our Lesrie. Adj: When in Rome. Open: Emperor Charles. Ladles: Housenstress. PPOA: Spartan Orient. place at girls under microscope Coatbridge seven Olympic oarsmen, in third place almost half a second Verif Hant: Our Lauris. Adj: When in Rome: Open: Emperor Charles. Ladles: Housensitresa. PPOR: Sparian Orient. Mide: Flying X-ray. WESTON & BiAnnWELL: Husit: Prince Mitpourns. Adj: Hill Express. Open: Kiteen. Ladles: Genry Doyle. Neat: Lipton. Mide I: Cattic Express. Mide it: Councilior Bia. By Rex Bellamy, Tennis Correspondent G Gome behind the runners-up. By Gordon Allan There were notable surprises among the top 10, the light The winter indoor series sponsored by the Royal Bank of talent and depth the 14 and DNIC Roy Cutts, of Ipswich, won his first major singles title when he beat Lee Shoobridge, of Tonbridge, 21-17 in the final of the Prudential English indoor align and depin the 14 and under group is the weakest for maybe 10 years. I hope some-body will come through and prove me wrong, but if these girls have any ambition to be senior players, they have a long way to go. Otherwise they will be outplay have he the other Paul Eddery S weights second crew taking fourth place, Nottinghamshire County tenth and Stirling, the Scotland is n useful guide to the Lawn Tennis Association's Š Kelahel Plagla (7) \_\_\_\_\_ R Fax training staff, who can check the THE WILTON: Hant: Newmans Girl, Rest: Piot Lane. Ladies: Egitt Ball. Open: Tawny Myth: Adl: Good Memories. Adl Rest: Kinon Jim. Scotlish Commonwealth Games aspirants, ninth. So the British continue to rule progress of juniors and see how they react to what is, at this modest level, a stiff test of skill 1 (7) LOW championship at Hardepool on Saturday. He thus confirmed his MFry the roost. The Italians will be bitterly disappointed, although place in the world champion-ship at Coatbridge next Feb-ruary, to which the national N Ca be overtaken by the next age group: throughout the country, and character. And the national 4-1 Jack's Island, 5-1 Bold Russion, 5-1 Master Carl, 13-2 Hennies Perc, 5-1 Record Wing, 12-1 Apple Wine, Bandoro, 14-1 Welsh Spy, Nice One Andy, 20-1 others. juoior co-ordinator. Derek Saturday's results they had two io the top 10. Fiat finishing fifth. London Uoiver-Bone. suggested yesterday: "This sort of competition makes The boys provoked cantious champions of all the home optimism from Bone and a former Davis Cup player, Richsity came a cropper when their first two crews were not placed countries are automatically 3.45 BURTON OVERY EBF STAKES (3-y-o: E4.269: 71) (4) the choice of international teams more fair, because players have a chance to prove what DONCASTER BANGOR invited 1.36 1, Milmand (5-1); 2, Planot Agh (2-2); 3, Souriering Love (100-30 fav), 11 ran. NR: Lady St Clair, Ingrovise, 2.0 1, My Kind Of Town (8-1); 2, Iyamaid (8-1); 3, Falme (5-1); Rowle (5-2 may), 10. BANGOR 201. Baby Sigh (4-7 fav): 2, Mairs Girl (33-1): 3, Karnetak (11-2). 15 ran. 2501. Marcellino (7-1): 2. Deadly Golny (14-1): 3. Menry Jane (6-1): 4. Tin Boy (10-1). John Feather (5-1 fav). 20 ran. 3.01. Wainset Wonder (12-1): 8. Streff Money (8-1): 3. Scots Nogger (7-1). Megabit (2-1 fav). 10 ran. 3.301. Splater's Well (4-6 fart): 2. Hangdon Boy (9-2): 3. Brief Barnie (6-1). 6 ran. 4.01. Harley (7-2): 2. Rapid Gurmer (5-2 fav): 3. Carney Court (9-1). In: Roby And Septime. Winn Knowe. Wood Farm Girl. 14 ran. 4.301. Scotsh Princess (12-1): 2. Midman (3-1): 3. Nema (2-1 fav). 15 ran. 6.01. Professional View (4-1): 2. Rymerstar (23-1): 3. Pharoh's Lake (8-11 fav). In: Muskai Hambler, Model Lacy. 18 ran. and Lewis, who coaches the 16 and under group. They thought Mark Petchey of Esser, aged 15, was likely to go far. "Both groups look very strong, which TOoin 4 J Reid 2 or were disqualified for appar-Cutts is a phlegmatic characently impeding crews during and after the race. Imperial College impressed in finishing eleventh to take the Senior A ter, unlike the quick and eager Shoobridge, but he still did a little dance of joy when Shoobridge's last bowl of the match brushed the jack without G Stationy they can do when it matters." During the past three days the eight leading players in the four 5-4 Bright As Night, 13-8 Lance, 4-1 Fleet Form, 10-1 Robie. (25-1); 4. Harney (25-1); 2. Well Rigged (4-1 tav); 3. Fueller (35-1); 4. Xhei (25-1), 25 ran, NY: GO Baranay; 3.5 1. Gray Desine (7-4 Tav); 2. Sharp Romance (13-2); 3. Gas Sympattics (1-2), 13 ran. groups - both sexes compete at 16 and under and 14 and under heartening", Lewis said, "Mark is an outstanding talent. Dennant. 4.15 SIMON DE MONTFORT MAIDEN STAKES (3-y-o: £1,109: 1m 2) moving it decisively. Cutts was 8-1 up in the opening exchanges but Shoobridge responded well, drawing level at 14-14 and 16-Cambridge University, - have contested the ultimate double elimination series (too He has a lot going for him and (12) preparing for next Saturday's Boat Race (3.15), impressed in Romance (13-2); 3, Cale Symposize (1-1+2) 13 ran. 3.35 1, Mr Cluick (13-2); 2, Arlestum (6-1); 3, Christo (5-1), Lady Woodpactor (100-30 tay)-17 ran; 4.05 1, Calef Edipris (11-8 fav); 2, Hazel's Girl (14-1); 3, Take Effect (4-1), 10 ran. has every chance to get to the complicated to explain) at Queen's Club, West Kensing-ton. Sound judges watched them play – which mostly looked like an outing against a national squad eight that had not entered top." Squad cight that had not cntered for the Head. TODAY'S CUTINGS (from Putney): Ox-ford 120 and 4.30; Cambridge 10.0 and 4.30. MEAD OF THE RWER: 1, ARA Netional Squad, 17mm 47.19sec; 2, Neutilus Lightweights, 18:7.52; 3, Campa-ria (t), 18:7.97; 4. Nauthus Lightweights I, 18:18; 25; Frat (t), 18:16.60; 0. Vesta, 18:18; 34; 7, Trideway Scutters School, 18: 25:48; 8, London University-Tyman, 18:25; 40; 9, Stirling ABSC, 18: 28:92; 10. Notifingham County, 18:28:37; 11, Importal College, 18:33:02; 12; Laa, 18:34:39; 13; Galege, 18:33:02; 12; Laa, 18:34:39; 13; Galege, 18:37; 4; 15; London, 18:39; 54; Galege, 18:37; 14; 15; London, 18:39; 54; Kingston, 18:42; 42; 10; 18:44:29; 21; Esperia (th, 18:46:00; 22; Laander, 18:46; 20; Thaiwit (Switz), 18:44:29; 21; 21; 22; Watton, 18:45; 24; Regeding University, 18:50; 57; 25; Molesey, 18:15; 61; PEWIANT WINWERS; Head crew: ARA National Squad, Vernon Trophy: Vesta (5tb), Sevior A: Imporial College (11th), Page Trophy: Laa (12th), Sevior B; Hampton School (14th), Jackson Trophy: Bediard (17th), Orner Shield: Reading University (24th), Santor C: Hampton School (3th), Fastest University Scond Crew: Reading University (19:10), Novice: Organet H (14th), Fastest Service Crew: Royal Navy (162nd). Bone suggested: "Both the 16. boys' groups are probably the strongest, in depth, for 10 years. for the Head. Cutts beat David Bryant 21 19 in the semi-finals and said it hard work - and, on the whole, They are fairly solid groups, so we should have solid adult was the best match be had played in his life. At two hours NEWBURY responded with the faint praise that can be damning. 1.30 1. Pikas Peak (11-8 tav); 2. Isimajor (10-1); 8. Small Noble (13-2), 18 and 50 minutes it lasted nearly players coming out of them. The Highmaior (10-1); 3, Small Noble (13-2), 16 Fin. 2.8 1, Anabases (7-1); 2, Page Of Gold (11-1); 3, Kaddin (12-1); kto Song (4-1) tab); 19, ran, st: Wind (Clance, 2.30 5, My Dominium (7-1); 2, Wantage (10-1); 3; 5, Wind (Lorenzo) (20-1); -2, Avebury (16-1); Santopade, Wite Boy (5-1, Sant, 23 rat: 3.0 1; West Tip (5-2 fav); 2, Beau Planger (100-30; 3, Mr Moorrator (100-30, 9 rat: 3.50-1; Croosing Beary (15-2); 21 mmyn 6-3 table 3 statust competition and rivalry will help. But many of our best Susan Mappin, the women's an hour longer than the final. RESULTS: Singles: Semi-finale: R Cuts. (pswich) 21. D Bryant (Clevedon) 19: L Shoobridge (Angel, Tonbridge) 21. W Hayward (Pression, Singtain) 14. Final: Cutts 21. Shoobridge 17. Pairs: final: Cypters (G Snith, A Thomson) 22. Cumbria (N Curne, R Gass) 16: national team manager, was 2-1 Hotbards Lodge, 11-4 Target Sighted, 9-2 Quick Reaction, 6-1 Cenic, 15-2 Prints concerned about the younger seniors were not dominant as siris. "There is a tendency for juniors. It is difficult to pick the junior with the best combina-the better players in a particular age group to get a false sense of security," she said, "Io termo of tion of talent, physique and 4,45 LODDINGTON EBF STAKES (3-y-o: 22,380; 61) (8) 1006 NICCOLO POLO (UEA) (A TERO (3770; TC; 2000; 01) 1006 NICCOLO POLO (UEA) (A Terrier) a Hastopy 9-3 20000 VOLEA (Capt M Lamos) C Statun 8-1 20040 VOLEA (Capt M Lamos) C Statun 8-1 2013- KING OF SPANEE (Aven Molumbles LIAN N Vigors 6-10 2128- OUR TELY (D) (Mrs F Allen) W Jarvis 8-10 20000- AIRNANIORE GML (1 MCGingari) R Nichols 6-5 2766- GUICAA RICU (Nrs A Majora) R Nichols 6-5 200- MIAMI BUIES (Mrs M Francis) M F Francis 6-5 000- MIAMI BUIES (Mrs M Francis) M F Frances 6-5 motivation." Parger (100-30): 3. NY Moonraker (100-30): 9 rat. 3.39: 1 - Crooning Berry (15-2): 2. Tanyn 4.0 1, Attor King (16-1): 2. Direct 4.0 1, Attor King (16-1): 2. Direct 4.0 1, Attor King (16-1): 2. Direct 5.2 Pucks Place (11-4): 4 ran. 4.30: 1, Cald Beimer (6-1): 2. Direct 50 rate, 21.2%; G Carson, 35 wins from 153 6-2). Pucks Place (11-4): 4 ran. 4.30: 1, Cald Beimer (6-1): 2. Marrie Peet (10-3): 3. Annulat (25-1). Lewesdon Prices, 18.2%; G Startay, 12 wins from 32 Attor (15-8 lav): 13. ran. m: Dumwegan Lat. 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-22: 3. Bay-Em-Vay (50-1). 4.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-22: 3. Bay-Em-Vay (50-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-22: 3. Warmonger (12-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-21: 3. Warmonger (12-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-21: 3. Warmonger (12-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-21: 3. Warmonger (12-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-21: 3. Warmonger (12-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 2. Monegonary(13-21: 3. Warmonger (12-1). 5.50: 1: Consendants (4-7 lav); 3. 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# RACING: HIGHLY-TRIED COLT SHOULD GAIN OVERDUE WIN AND MAINTAIN EXCELLENT FORM OF RYAN AND RAMSDEN Bright As Night Piggott – artist and genius should lead off fine day for Newmarket **By Mandarin**

Bright As Night, who ran King Of Spades and Niccolo well against the cream of last Polo, who runs here in preference to taking on Bright as year's two-year-olds, can continue the excelleot form of Night, form the pucleus of the Mick Ryan, the Newmarket opposition, but Volida looks slightly better class. Habbards Lodge has Target trainer, by gaining his first success in the Burton Overy Stakes at Leicester this

Sighted to beat in the maiden, but Paul Kelleway's Henbit The soo of Miswaki ran two colt need only reproduce the form of his excellent secood to sound races at Newmarket when second to Jewelled Reef Highland Chieflain at Newmarket in November to record in the Danepak Bacon Stakes and seventh to Huntingdale in his first victory. For the day's best, though, I the William Hill Dewhurst look to Folkestone where Stakes, but his best performance came at Sandown Park Schule can make his fitness

tell in the Aldington Handi-cap. Hugh O'Neill's sprinter where he chased home the consistent Bold Arrangement has already had a run this season, fioishing tenth of 18, with three good previous win-Like Ryan's recent big-race winners Motivator and Mac'o beaten only eight lengths, to Will George at Doncaster on Reef. Bright As Night belongs Friday in a much better race to Terry Ramsden, but this than today's. With that race under his flamboyant character is un-

likely to make a killing this afternooo as his promising belt, Schula will have a decisive advantage over his rivals three-year-old will start at here and it is worth ooting that be won this race two years ago without the benefit of a previshort odds to beat three seemingly inferior oppopents. ous outing. O'Neill has bright prospects of completing a double half an Robis looks totally out of his depth, but there may be

runners, Lance and Fleet hour later when Mr McGregor, who was bought out of Bruce Hobbs's stable at Form, with marginal preference given to the former. the Newmarket September Newmarket trainers should sales, has only his second run also take the other three-yearfor his new stable in the old races with Hubbards Rochester Stakes. The Formi-Lodge (Paul Kelleway) in the dable colt was ruoning over seven furlongs and a mile last Simoo de Montfort Maiden Stakes and Volida (Clive year, but appeared Dot quite to Brittain) in the Loddingtoo

get the trip and the return to six furlongs should enable him Like Bright as Night, Volida belatedly to get off the mark. raced against some of the best of ber generatioo last year, Hexham abandoned finishing fourth to Kingscote to the Lowther Stakes, fifth to Today's meeting at Hexham has been abandoped because

Green Desert in the Flying Childers and nioth to Embla the course is waterlogged. A io the Cheveley Park, with good winners behind total of 115 meetings have been lost to the weather

FOLKESTONE

1.45 HEADCORN STAKES (2-y-o: £684: 5f) (7

Going: good to soft Draw: 5f-6t, low numbers best

runners)

LESTER, The Official Biog-raphy, by Dick Francis, is pub-lished today. WOODROW WYATT reviews this appraisal of the career of arguably our greatest jockey

It is sad that we will never see again that strange cronching figure, bottom raised, galvaniz-ing a horse and winning from an improbable position. Lester Piggott had a magic be communicated to the crowd and the horses. By hard work, experi-ence and instinct he could get the maximum response any borse was capable of at exactly the right moment. The horse and he were partners who understo each other.

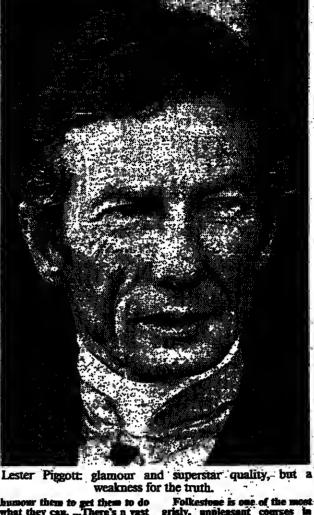
When he was 28 in 1954 he rode his first Derby winner, Never Say Die. The owner thought it had no chance and preferred staying in a heath farm to going to Epsona despite the trainer's confidence. Piggott was the menthasiastic third choice as jockey. He had ridden the horse when easily beaten in an unimportant Liverpool race and again when it ran hadly in the Free Handicap at wmarket. As he had relu

to ride Never Say Die, having no other mount, Piggott thought hard about his poor prospect which started at 33-1. Never Say Die was heavy in front with a heavy head and hung to the left, and was fitted with all manner of devices to counteract this defect. Piggott insisted on these corrective additions being rem because Epsom is a left-han course. Never Say Die, perfectly positioned by, and in rapport with his jockey, won easily.

Piggott comments: "There are certain horses... You run them one way and they're useless, and mis "There are the other way they're cham-pions. You try to tell people it makes all that difference and they don't believe you, but it's a

The Jockey Club Stewards were among the disbelievers. They took Piggott's licence away nt Royal Ascot, a right-hand course, because Never Say Die hung to the left and Piggott was unreasonably held responsible for his interference with other

Piggott is not starry-eyed about horses. "A lot of them are stupid. A lot are intelligent... At least 60 per cent of horses don't really want to do their best. Winning doesn't mean nil that much to them. You have to try to



humour them to get them to do what they can ....There's n vast difference between a really good horse and a bad horse....It's not ter of 20 lengths differ its a furlong. If you get a horse who's very fast, very intelligent and wants to race, it's a revela-tion of the storage of t a. On one of those you can A top-rate jockey can get half

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to three-quarters a length extra out of n horse, enough to be decisive in close finishes. Piggott could coax one to two lengths extra. He was an artist and a genias, and like many such he has his foibles and eccentric-ities which perhaps be accentrates deliberately for the fun of it. He enjoys not being in cinbhable man, to appear mo-rose and to speak laconically, if not enigmatically.

Going: good to soft. Draw; 51-6f, low numbers best.

Folkestone is one of the mo grisly, unpleasant courses in England. I was in Hong Kong for the opening of the malti-million pound Sha-tin racecourse re-claimed from the sea, and of chained from the sex, and or which the Hong Kong Jockey Chai was very proad. Piggott, one of the invited jockeys, was interviewed on Hong Kong tele-vision and asked which course in England Sha-tin most reminded him of. "Folkestone," Piggott said, and added nothing. His mother warned him to be

which none of his contemporat-ies have. The homsewives adored him and would back him on unfancied horses at long, odds, not realizing that he bad worked another uniracle when he won. Their instinct was right the grompy old commageon of whom stable lads, trainers, owa-ers and lockeys ware in awa. was ers and jockeys were in awe, was not an ogre at all, however much he pretended to be one. Dick, Francis started writing flais/biography with Piggott in 1973; it was not at easy rule but careful of his money, pointing to successful jockeys who had been lavish to their hangers on and were now beggars. Piggott has revelled in taking her advice, although he is not mean at heart judging by the instances Dick Frances gives of his help, often surreptitions, to those in trouble. R is a winner. • LESTER, The Official Biog-raphy, by Dick Francis (Mi-chael Joseph, 512.95)

charges home for At one stage in uns contain-ing book, written under Piggott's close supervision, there is a somewhat disingennous claim of relative poverty. Piggott com-plains that in the 1960s the

Able to charm at will, he is not

naturally a discourteous man, although he dislikes conversa-tion. He has always been partly

Fortunately his deathers de-served him when fixing riding engagements on the telephone.

es involve unintention

bumping or ehstruction, Piggott never complained about his suspensions, but I suspect that

sespensions, out a support unit some of them were due to the inability of the stewards to recognize the quality of true greatness and an itch to get at this cool, self-contained charac-

ter Certainly Piggott is a difficult man and as a trainer will ruffle owners with his weakness for the truth. But any owner with a reasonable horse will be lacky to have this, remarkable, clean-headed jadge training for him. There was a glamour and converter multir to Piggott

superstar quality to Piggott which none of his contemporar-

Elsey K-Battery broke a 13-year-old losing sequence for northern-trained runners to wio the first press said he was a millionaire, whereas before tax his earnings were only £13,500 a year. Do not weep too soon. Mr Piggott as a trainer is installed in very fine big handicap of the Flat scason, the William Hill Lincoln, at \$ stables at Newmarket at a cost no rms-of-the-mill jockey could contemplate. Piggott's poverty is a bit of an act, and I do not Doncaster on Saturday. The five-year-old scorched home at odds of 25-I for Bill Elsey, the Malton trainer, who won the race in 1971 with another gradge him a penny of his outsider, Double Cream.

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Once again a low draw proved decisive as Well Rigged, the hot favourite, who was drawn one, avourne, who was drawn off, set the pace from the start. John Lowe produced K-Battery — who started from stall 12 — inside the final furlong to over-haul Well Rigged, who stayed on to finish second with Fushier in which share Another use. He may always needs pairely deaf, and, spoken to at an angle at which the speaker's lips failure to answer, because he has not heard, has frequently been taken for rudeness. third place. Another of the fancied runners, Go Bananas, was withdrawn after he refused to go into the stalls ... Piggott had numerous brushes with authority. If you are trying to win — and anilke other-jackeys I do not think Piggott over tried not to — you have to take split-second chances which assure involve institutional

Elsey, whose Father Charles, trained Babur to win the Lincoin in successive years in the fifties, said: "I've been planning since December for K-Battery to go for the Lincoln. Fve kept him on the go since last season and he's been working with my

jumpers. My Dominion, who originally My Dominion, who originally cost 300 guineas, took his winning tally for the season to seven when landing the Tote Credit Hurdle at Newbury by two and a half lengths from Wantage. Martin Pipe, the trainer, took the prize last year

with Quickstep. After My Dominion had won five races he was bought hy Terry Ramsden and he may now join the same owner Doncaster wioner, Brunico, in the fine-up for the Genlivet Hurdle at Liverpool in two weeks. After that My Dominion

may run on the Flat. • Princess Anne suffered the embarrassment of having to weigh out twice before her latest riding appearance at Newbury. The Princess was called back to the scales after a racecourse official spotted an error. She initially weighed out with a 7/b allowance for inexperienced riders, but under the conditions of the race she was not entitled to the claim, because she is aged over 25.

With the confusion cleared up, the Princess went out to ride Well Wisher into fourth place behind Commandante.

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FOOTBALL: ENGLAND FLY OFF TO RUSSIA WITH TWO CASUALTIES BUT NO LAST-MINUTE SNAGS

# **Robson enjoys** the luxury of a trouble-free departure

#### By Stuart Jones, Football Corresponden

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as Arsenal manager. After an extended run on started in any of the last seven internationals. He has stepped down from the leading wide role and become the under-study to Waddle, who scored for Tottenham against his old club, Newcastle Uoited, oo

likely selection.

As he prepared to leave deed, since he took over as

might be their lot for the week, expected at this stage of the but a meaningful fixture with demaoding domestie the Russians.

The elongated games of One of them, Shilton, is the diplomacy played last week lone survivor from England's between the English and Sovi-et Embassies, had put the Union. He played a significant friendly international in Tblisi is such doubt that Roban to such doubt that Robson, 13 years ago.

By Nicholas Harling

For the manager of a team who in their eighth match in 22 days had just called on their last reserves to gain spectacular revenge for a recent FA Cup exit. David Pleat certainly had

plenty of gripes on Salurday. Were it not for the fact that Foster had inspired a fate vic-

lory that the centre half himself

had earlier jeopardized. Pleat might well have been boiling over instead of merely

Luton Town.

Everton...

The England party suffered was left wondering whether he two casualties over the week-end, though neither should arations for the World Cup diminish the strength of the Finals with a significant game side that lines up against the or relatively meaningless Soviet Union in Tbilisi on practice. Wednesday. One injury forced Barnes, of Watford, to with-have also qualified for Mexi-

draw, the other wound was co, represent by far the most formidable opponents during England's build-up to this summer's tournament. Their power and their skill, tradi-England's left flank through tionally contained within a out 1984, Barnes has out tight framework of discipline, was last seen almost two years ago at Wembley. Their impressive 2-0 victory seemed at the time to be a dark omen for England's visit to South America

But Robson's side has since Saturday. As long as Bobby lost only four of their subse-Robsoo remains committed quent 20 matches and three of to selecting three forwards, those defeats, by Urugnay, Waddle is always the more Italy and Mexico, were inflicted during summer tours. In-

yesterday morning, it was not manager, England have yet to so much the relative health of be beaten in Eastern-Europe. his squad that concerned the They have beaten Hungary 3

his squad that concerned the They have beaten Hungary 5-England manager as the pros-pect of being engaged in a Romania. Competitive fixture in mid-week, which had looked a lost the absence of Reid and cause a week ago. For as Robson travelled beyood the the captain. Stevens, who Iroa Curtain for the third time underwent surgery oo a trou-as England's manager, he was blesome swollen knee last genuinely relieved. With the week, was not available for exception of Barnes, all his Everton on Saturday and may squad had reported for duty be doubtful. The other repre-on Salurday evening out for contratives including five who on Salurday evening, oot for sentatives, including five who training sessions at Bisham scored for their clubs over the Abbey that Robsoo had feared weekend, are all as fit as can be

sharpness

same as reasons. Thanks to Everton's defeat at title, but this should not disguis

Richardsoo's shot took a cruch deflectioo off Foster, leaving Sealey stranded. So often the fail guy. Foster was in more trouble when he was booked for fouling Since Luton were now unable

to make much impression on the game or the referee, there seemed little danger of Evertoo surrrendering an unbeaten league record stretching back to. December 14. attack sharper. You wondered sometimes how much United But such is the perversity of football that with Eventon well in control. Foster headed in Hill's 82nd-minute free kick and completed his anonement by sending in another header from Preece's corner tow muon



Chelsea (Photograph: Ian Stewart)

# City show Dixon misses the cup that cheers

#### By Simon O'Hagan

Manchester Utd.

Manchester City. The decline in Manchester United's form has continued for so long that Ron Atkinson, their manager, should know better than to put down a performance as poor as Saturday's simply to "two moments of irresponsible defending". As any historian will tell you, facts are not the

all the

Luton Town, United remain in contention for the first division the fact that it was City who were more controlled and intelligent.

A draw was the least they deserved. With only a minute and a half gone United took the lead when Colin Gibson drove the ball to following a free kick and after 61 minutes Strachan made it 20 Sem a parallel made it 2-0 from a penalty. The score made nonsense of City's domination of the game. during the intervening hour. Their midfield was neater, their

really want to win the League. championship. When Bryan Robson returns from injury – as soon as next week is hoped – he will have a lot of inspiring to do. In his absence the manile of captaincy rests uneasily oo the boorish Whiteside. There is something particularly un-pleasant aboot the shrill in-dignation with which. he responds to being fouled. By so doint to be commend to influence the

## Villa sunk by spirit of fiercest rivals

#### By Vince Wright

Severiano Ballesteros failed to qualify by a single stroke, while Bernhard. Langer and Peter Oosterbuis missed by eight and seven respectively, as the half-way point was reached in the rain-delayed New Orleans Clas-sic. Calvin Peete held the lead by one from Dick Mast, a little-known Ohio professional who was 35 yesterday and so had the chance to celebrate a memo-rable birthday. So Ken Brown andNick Faldo, who slipped from joint first position with Peete on Friday night to joint sixth after being able only to score par in a second round when nearly everyone else was improving on it, were left to uphold Europe's Birmingham City's first goals at Villa Park since 1977 gave them a resounding 3-0 victory on Saturday over their ocarest and fiercest rivals. Birmingham still have much to do if they are to escape relegation to the second division but under John Bond's managership they have become a more entertaining and cuiried eide

spirited side. Aston Villa, who are precariously placed themselves, could not cope with Birmingham's newly-acquired enthusiasm and were second-best in every department. Clarke turned the it, were left to uphold Europe's match Birmingham's way with a pair of goals in the first half, then Whitton ended Villa's Yesterday's situation was very similar to that of last week hopes of a recovery by scoring in

the second. Another Midlands club in distress, West Bromwich Al-bion, lost touch with the rest of bion, lost touch with the rest of the first division long ago and Saturday's 1-0 reverse against Hpswich Town was the latest in a line of away defeats. A scrappy game was decided by Butcher's full-blooded shot from 30 yards after 67 minutes. The three points enabled Ipswich to move above Villa and out of the booom three. Oxford United's run of away

successes came to an abrupt halt on their first visit to Anfield, where they were given a 6-0 hiding. Rush and Molby scored two each and Lawrenson and Whetan were also on target for Liverpool, who were at their most ruthless. So Liverpool joined the leaders Everton on 66 points while Oxford continue to live dynamoush

Leicester City and Coventry City are also nervously looking over their shoulders after defeats at Nottingham Forest and Arsenal respectively. Leicester, who went down by the odd goal

who went down by the odd goal in seven, were denied reward for their part in a thriller when Nigel Clough scored the winner Coventry never looked like collecting anything from their trip to Highbury, where they were 3-0 losers. A spectactular own goal by McInally started Coventry's slide and in the second half Arsenal increased their advantage through Woodsecond half Arsenal increased their advantage through Wood-cock and Hayes. However, Arsenal's joy at their fourth consecutive victory was im-mediately cut short by the resignation of their manager, Day Hearn Don Howe.

Lon Howe, The runaway second division leaders, Norwich City, con-firmed their quality by winning 5-2 at Sheffield United. Drinkell, Mendham, Barham, and Biggins all goi oo the score that and Norwich's other core sheet and Norwich's other goal came from the head of the United defender Smith.

Portsmouth's match at Stoke City was postponed because of

illness and, in the fight for the third promotion place, Brighton gained ground on Charlton Ath-letic and Wimbledon, who were both held to 1-1 draws at home Brighton's third win in a row is further indication that they have pulled themselves together since being knocked out of the FA Cup by Southampton. seriously tojured. Sulaiman said

#### By Keith Macklin By Sydney Friskin For 60 minutes Oldham clung Southgate were unhinged by to their dream of reaching Wembley for the first nime in the

Edinburgh Civil Service in the qualifying hockey match for the European Club Championship to be played at Göteborg in May. Although Southgate won I-0 at the River Stadium, North Haringay, waterday, the Scole Haringey, yesterday, the Scols had beaten them 2-0 on Saturday and went through on aggregate.

A penalty stroke converted hy David Craig shorily before the end proved insufficient for Southgate who squandered several short corners. Yellowlees and Edwards scored for Edinburgh Civil Service on Saturday. Isca qualified for the semi-finals of the Hockey Association Cup by defeating Bournville 1-0. A goal in the second half by Martin Rodgers proved decisive.

LEADING SCORES (US unless stated): 135: C Peere, 68, 67, 138: O Mast. 72, 64, 138: K Knox, 70, 68: P McGowan, 69, 69; W Israeleson, 73, 65: 140: N Faldon (GB), 68, 72; O Tewell, 71, 69, M Sulavan, 71, 69, 141: T Sills, 72, 69; O Forsman, 73, 68: 11 Archer, 73, 68; J Mudd, 72, 68: M Reid, 70, 71, M Nicoletta, 75, 65, 148: K Brown (GB), 74, 72, 147: 6 Balessteros (Sp), 75, 72, 153: P Oosterhuis (GB), 74, 79, 154: B Langer (WG), 78, 76.

HOCKEY

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for Scots

Pickwick also reached the last four with a 6-2 win over Bishop's Stortford, Bishop's Stortford took command in extra time after the scores were level 1-1 at full time. On target were Bhurji, Dalbir Sidhu (2). Balkar Jiwander (2), and Dalhir Jandhu; Lence and Tee scored for Bishop's Stortford. The last semi-final berth was

taken by Cannock, who defeated Lewes with a goal by Ernston from a short corner.

Midlands bank on **Bayliss** 

Midlands won the first Na-tional Westminster Bank under-21 women's territorial lournament which ended yes-terday with a splendid performance in the last crucial match against the North, played at great pace and in part with considerable skill (Joyce Whitebead writes). Lisa Bayliss scored hiree of their total of eight goals in the tournament, while Jane Sixsmith showed moments of brilliance.

By Clive White Chelsea. Manchester City .....

The decision by John Hollins, the Chelsea manager, to leave out Kerry Dixon, his England

ont Kerry Dixon, his England centre forward, because of a groin strain put the real im-portance of the first and last Full Members' Cup Final property into perspective at Wembley Stadium yesterday. Dixon, who apparently aggravated the injury at Southampton 24 hours ear-lier, missed a thoroughly enjoy-able and seriously contested game, whatever the scoreline might imply. A remarkably large and good-humoured crowd of 68,000, paying £508,000 in receipts, got value for money on a fresh,

value for money on a fresh, sunny afternoon. Dixon, who

sinny anemon. Dixon, who admitted that he probably would have been fit for a midweck game, must have felt disappointed since Bobby Rob-son, the England manager, had declined to select him for the trip to Tbilisi this week because of his Warmhaw argointment of his Wembley appointment. Dixoo may have been slightly envious too, as Lee, his replacement, though normally a full back these days, bagged himself a couple of goals as Chelsea hit back with a vengeance after

falling behind in the ninth The excellent results both

# teams had achieved in the league the day before had left them in differing moods for Wembley; Manchester City 5 buoyant after their recovery at Old Trafford and Cheisea lethargic after their ordeal at The Dell.

A goal by Kinsey, deflecting a shot by McCarthy, was no more than City deserved as McNah propelled them forwards. But when Nevin was allowed to cross a wicked outward curling ball in the 23rd minute Speedic attacked it with a fury that set attacked it with a fury that set Chelsea into motion for the

Lee put them ahead and Speedie went on to complete a treble before another goal by Lee put Chelsea seemingly out of City's range. But the Manches-

ter club gave us a rousing finale with three goals in the closing minutes from Lillis (two, one a penalty) and an own goal by Rougvie. The Wembley officials who ensure the manual score who operate the manual scoreboard have never seen such fun or been kept so busy as the scoreboard moved directly from 5-2 to 5-4.

CHELSEA: S Francis: O. Wood, D. Rougvie, C. Pates, J. McLaughie, J. Burnstend, P. Neven, N. Spactoman, C. Lae, O. Spaeate, K. McAlistar. MANCHESTER. CITY: E. Niszor, N. Reid (sub, P. Simpson), P. Power, S. Fadmonds, M. M. McCarthy, D. Phillips (sub, G. Bakor), M. Lillis, A. May, S. Kinsey, N. McNab, C. Wilson. C A Saurders (Newcastle-upop-

Wigan maintained their chal-lenge to Halifax by beating Swinton. SILK CUT CHALLENGE CUP: Semi-final

SILK CUT CHALLENGE CUP: Semi-fineb Cestiletord 18, Oxfolmen 7 (at Wigao), SLALOM LAGER CHAMPIONSHIP; Dewebury 12, St Helens 16; Hull 34, Satiord 16; Warmgron 31, Hull KR 16; Swanton 6; Wagan 28; Feetherstone 40, York 10; Bradhord 40, Widnes 8, SECOND DIVISION: Brantey 14, Barrow 22; Doncaster 18, Sheffield 23; Cartiste 17, Neighley 2; Leigh 22, Huddersfield 12; Walaffield 6, Battey 24; Winterhaven 20, Rocndale 16,

## BOXING

Last call for four champs Puerto Rico (AP) - José ulaiman, the World Boxing

Council President, is calling on four ageing former world cham-pions to renire before they are

half try, put in a high kick which bounced wickedly away from Oldham's Australian full-back, David Liddiard, for Beardmore



Oldham took the lead late in the first half when David Liddiard kicked ahead and his brother, Glen, aged 16, got the touch down, Hobbs kicking the goal. In yesterday's champion-ship games Widnes and Hull Kingston Rovers lost heavily at Bradford and Warrington, but

club's history. Before losing 18-7 toCastleford, they led 7-6 in this hard-fought Silk Cut semi-final at Wigan. Then they came one of those cruel strokes of luck which often swing a game. The Castleford half back, Bob Beardmore, who had scored a first-

**RUGBY LEAGUE** 

**Oldham's** 

dream

shattered

Even if he did not seem most eracious in victory, it was easy to commiserate with the Luton to commiscrate with the Lution manager, for he did seem jus-tified io accusing Everton's players of histrionics which ers getting booked. Luton deserved to be altead at half-time but a minute after the interval they fell behind as .

# Southall create history

Foster's revenge

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Southall are through to the Southall rarely looked in dan-final of the FA Vase for the first ger after scoring twice through ome in their history after win-Ferdinand and Powell in a fourome in their history after win-ring 3-1 at Wisbech Town in the second leg of their semi-final on Saturday to record a 5-3 ag-Ferdinand and Powell in a four-minute spell at the end of the first half. Ferdinand added a third be-Saturday to record a 5-3 ag-gregate victory (Paul Newman writes). The Vauxhall-Opci League club's opponents at Wembley on April 26 will be either Halesowen Town or Warrington Town, who meet in a replay tomorrow at Telford after drawing 3-3 (4-4 on aggregate).

later which Newell diverted past Southall.

doing he seemed to influence the referee to the bookings of Lillis

referee to the bookings of Lillis and May when their offences hardly wairranted them. During the last half-hour City remained composed and deter-mined, despite having lost Clements with an injured knee and as a result being forced to move a forward, Lillis, back ioto defence. The impressive Wilson nulled a enal back with a

pulled a goal back with a stooping header and, with 12 minutes to go, Albiston miscued the ball into the corner of his Ferdinand added a third be-fore Mitchell scored a consola-tion goal for Wisbech in the

the ball into the corner of his own net. MANCHESTER UNITED: C Turner, M Ducbury, A Ableton, N Whiteside, P McGrath, M Higgms, C Gibson, G Stractan, M Hughes, P Davenport, P Barnes (sub: F Stenietion). MANCHESTER CITY: E Nizor; N Reid, P Power, K Clements (sub: P Simpson). S Redmond, D Philips, M Lifts, A May, S Knasey, N McNab, C Witson. Reference O Shaw (Sandhach). closing minutes. A crowd of 3.035 saw Warrington (North West Counties League) equalize three times at Halesowen (West Midlands League) and not even extra time could separate the two sides.

## Hearts unstoppable pacemakers

By Hugh Taylor

Heart of Midlothian moved a and Robertson, gained them the step closer to winning their first Scottish League championship in 26 years when they beat Hibernian 2-1 at Easter Road and established a record of 22 premier division matches with-out defeat.

With six games to play, they have become firm title favourites. In defeating their Edinburgh rivals more easily than the score suggests, they showed such composure and organization that it is difficult to

see them losing their given con-fidence by the superb general-ship of Sandy Jardine who, with the manager, Alex MacDonald, had been a member of the Rangers side who had played 21 The gloom over Pittodrie unbeaten games in winning the championship in 1975. Fine goals from their forwards, Clark

points. Hibernian could not be faulted for their endeavour, Cowan scoring a splendid goal. It was a happy afternoon also for Dandee United, who are Hearts' closest rivals. They si-lenced their critics with a come-heat to more mutanation form in back to more entrancing form in beating Motherwell 4-0 at Tannadice. Inpired by Sturrock, their internacional forward, who scored two spectacular goals, United treated their supporters to a display of glorious football that made light of the gale and overwhelmed their lowly oppo-nents. Bannon and Dodds were the other marksmen. United lag

three points behind Hearts but summer.

with Dundee. As in Sweden where Aberdeen failed in their attempt to reach the last four of the European Cup, they should have won with plenty to spare but again missed good chances. Although the East is winning the battle for football power in Scouland, the old firm of Celuc and Rangers showed that they are still supreme to providing unique excitement. They made history when they forced the HAR7LEPOOL: Pudential men's national championships: Singles: Sami-finals: R Cutts (Ipswch) bf & Bryam (Gevecion) 21-19; L. Shoobridge (Angel, Torithoge) br W Hayward (Preston, Brighton) 21-14. Final: Cutts br Shoobridge 21-17. Para: Seon-finalis: N Curne and R Gass (Cumbria) br G Blake and & Taylor (Court Arts, Nonvech 17-th; G Smain and A Thomson (Oyphers, Beckenham) br & Snell and R Buckand (Thamesdown, Swindoni 23-18, Final: Smain and Thomson br Curne and Gass 22-16. country's most hitterly divided crowd of nearly 45,000 to stay to the end of the game at lbrox to give a standing ovation to both teams, who had shared cight goals in a rip-roaring comest. • Speedie, Sharp, Archibald, McAvennie and Nicholas were told by Alex Ferguson, the Scotland manager, yesterday that they would be going to the World Cup finals in Mexico this

Roberto Duran. Alexis Arguello, Wilfredo Gomez and Wilfred Benitez no longer have the skills that won them world titles in three different divisions. All four are currently talking about a run at a uite in a fourth division. "They all should re-tire, but the one that worries me most is Gomez, because I feel like his godfather," Sulaiman said

BOWLS

BOXING

The tournament's first match.

between the South and the Midlands, was poor but after that the standard of play improved.

Improved. RESULTS: Final placings: 1. Midlands; 2. North: 3. South 0. McClands 0; East, 5. West. Saturday: South 0. McClands 0; East 1. West 6: North 2, North 2. McClands 3. East 0; McClands 2. West 1. North 2. East 1; West 0, South 6; McClands 3. North 0.

#### FOR THE RECORD

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NETBALL

INTER-COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS: Senior Herts 13. Surrey 13. Under-21: West Yorks 8 Brownsham 6

#### NGRDIC SKIING

STRESKE PLESO (Czechoskowakał 15km cross country: 1. H. Wertbuch (WG); 2. H. Schwirz (WG), 3. G. Angersen (Nort, Final World Cap combined standings: 1. Wentbuch, 120 ps: 2. T. Musfier (WG), 86: 3. Andersen, Br. Overall team standings; 1. W Germany, 484 ps; 2. Norway, 357; 3. Switzerland, 164.

#### **REAL TENNIS**

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#### RUGBY

CHESHIRE CUP: Semi-final: Brintenead Park 29. McChesture Colleges 4. EAST MIDLANDS CUP: Final: Leighton

EAST MILLANDS CUP? FARE LAGRIDA Buzzard 16, Peterborrough 6. REPRESENTATIVE MATCH: North and Mid-lands U-21 12, Anglo Scots U-21 21.

#### SKING

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Ipswinch 38, LEAGUE CUP: Coventry 45. Swindon 32, Belle Vue 38, Brastlord 40. Postponed: Kings Lynn v Wolvertrampton.

TENNIS PORT MEYERS (Florida): Pane Webber Classic: Sane-Inats: Landi (CJ bi A Gomaz (E2)6-3.6-3. BRUSSELS: Belgian Indoor: Semi-finala: 0 Dyna (Aus) on M Meer (CJ 6-1.6-3: M Wiander (Sweb J I Nyrstom (Sweb 2-6, 6-4. 2. Final: Wiender in Dyne 6-2.6-3. MEWYORK: Women's champ analysis: Cham-ter-finala: H Mandatova (CJ 61 C Kohde-relation (Sweb 1 Dyne 6-2.6-3. NEWYORK: Women's champ analysis: Cham-ter-finala: H Mandatova (CJ 61 C Kohde-relation (Sector) (CJ 6-1.6-3.7-5. Meny Olicity - S. C. Llovy (US) or H Subova (C2) 1-5. 6-1. 6-1. Semi-finala: U Navratiova bi Lova 6-3.7-5. Mandatova (US) to C Graf (MG) 6-2.6-2. Mandatova (US) to C Graf (MG) BHOPRIGGS (Classow) British Wiesting Champonahip: 448g; B Burris (Lova) 1:D Woost (Legni). Sing: D Doctan (Legni) to D Woost (Landi). Sing: D Doctan (Legni) to d Moores (Barton) EDge 0 Asper (Sotamits P Hughes (Canatal Sing: S Esystes (Flori Drades (Canatal Sing: S Esystes (Flori Drades). EStop P Bastor (Macampan). 746g; F Walter (Marchester YMCA) the C MoNei (Mangal). EStop P Bastor (Macampan). The Kabride I C Marning (Mar Packet, 100kg; N Lobar (Reconder) at D Kram (Mer Packet). 100-plus teg: K Peache (Reconder) b) a Panck (Met Poice).

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| a replay tomorrow at Telford<br>after drawing 3-3 (4-4 on                                                                                                                                                         | at Halesowen (West. Midlands<br>League) and not even extra time                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Redmond, D Phillips, M Lillis, A May, S<br>Kinsey, N McNab, C Wilson.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | championship in 1975. 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C Rees (Northumber-<br>land), 18.07; Tease: Marseyside, 148 pts-<br>Intermedistus (8,2504); 1. S Duval (Szatis),<br>22.31; 2. J Dennis (Hants), 22.40; 3. 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K Waters, 68, 70, 71, 71,<br>99, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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Stourbridge 1,<br>Gloucester City 2; Southern division:<br>Andover 2, Ashtord 0; Carterbury City 3;<br>Bushbar and Mitterster 1, Carterbury City 3;                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | LEAGUE: Premier/First division Cap:<br>Burton PW \$, Bourne 0; Cottingham 0,<br>Raunds 2; Long Buckby 7, Towcester 1.                                                                                                                             | Drummond, 74, 69, 68, 72, P Brown (Zim), 71,<br>71, 67, 74; G Raiph, 72, 69, 72, 70; S Stephen.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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Pontetract Cof<br>0; Hearner 3, Inkeston 0; Long Eston Utd 2,<br>Appleby Fredingham 0; Spelding Utd 1.                                                                                      | vision: Basconstield Und 1, Beckton Utd 0,<br>Crown and Manor 1, Thatchem 0;<br>Edgware 0, Rechtil 2: Northwood 0,<br>Brimsdown Rovers 0; Pennent 1,                                                                                                                                                                                         | Raunds 2: Long Buckby 7, Towcester 1,<br>Lesgue: Premier division: Ampthili 0,<br>Newport Pagnet 0, Arleage 0, Potton 3;<br>Buckingham 2, Brackley 0, Holbech 1,                                                                                  | 70, 73, 72, 58, 254: P Watton (#e) 58, 70, 73,<br>73, R Chapman, 72, 72, 74, 66, 265: C Mason,<br>73, 70, 68, 74: M Mactematic, 70, 71, 72, 72-10                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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Dunstable 2: Poole 0.<br/>Hastings 2: Ruisilp 0. Woodford 2:<br/>Sheppey Utd 2. Contribution 1: Tonbridge 1.<br/>Enth and Belvedare 1: Waterloonille 1.</li> </ol>                                                                                                                                                          | 0; Heanor 3, Reaston 0; Long Estion Utid 2,<br>Appleby Frodingham 0; Speiding Utid 1,                                                                                                                                                                          | Amerishan 2 Hanwei 2, Denson 3,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Northampton Spencer 2: Inhilingboro 1.<br>Desborough 4: Rothwell 2. Eynesbury 1;<br>St Neots 0, Stamford 2: S And L Corpy 1.                                                                                                                      | Lieweityn 69, 69, 73, 74: J Morgan, 70, 75, 71,<br>69: T Lamore (US), 73, 73, 70, 69: T Honon,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| THESOMET 3. WETTERN LEAGUE                                                                                                                                                                                        | Factoriante una a reconstruction de la reconstructi                             | Erith and Belvedare 1; Waterlooville 1,<br>Trowbridge 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Bridington Trinky C, Sutton 3, Arnold 2<br>Thacidey 1, Alfreton 6.<br>GLOUCESTERSHIRE SENIOR TROPHY:                                                                                                                                                           | NORTHUMBERLAND SENIOR CUP:<br>Semi-finat: Nonth Shields 0, Blue Star 1.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | St Neots 0, Standord 2; S And L Coroy 1,<br>Wotton 1, Postponed: Stotfold v Baldock.<br>SUSSEX SENIOR CUP: Semi-final:                                                                                                                            | 72, 71, 72, 70, 239; 6 Wanes, 71, 73, 69, 73, D<br>Jones, 70, 73, 71, 72; M Roe, 73, 71, 73, 69, S<br>Cone, 71, 72, 73, 70,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Brannan , Manute Start ( Canton O.                                                                                                                                                                                | Manow D.<br>MIL TIPARY LEAGUE: Button Albion 2,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    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| market 3, Histor 6 Erzentroe a Lowestoft                                                                                                                                                                          | Busson 0; Gainsborough 1, Caemarvon 0;                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | FOOTBALL COMBRIATION: Birmingham<br>1, CIPR 3; Bristol Rovers 1, Reading 4;<br>Chelses 1, West Ham 3; Oxford Und 2,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | WILTSHIRE SENIOR CUP: Semi-lical: Old<br>Manor 0, Supermarine 1.<br>OXFORDSHIRE SENIOR CUP: Third                                                                                                                                                              | Legue Cup: Third round: Heavitree Utd<br>1. Exmouth 3: Welton Rovers 2, Portway<br>Brissol 4: Pressiler division: Bristol Cty 2,<br>Dewlish 2: Chard 0, Taunion 3;                                                                                                                                                                           | Cup: Third round: Postponed: Arundei v<br>Poscahaven and Telescombe. League:                                                                                                                                                                      | State of the state |
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## SPEEDWAY CHALLENGE MATCH: Cradley Heath 40.

SPORTS COMMENTARY

**David Miller** 

The right-wing election shift

in France may prove disadvan-

tageous to that veteran Labour

campaigner Denis Howell. Jacques Chirac's position here

as both Premier and Mayor of

Paris will give him valuable international prestige in his

attempt to establish Paris as

the host for the 1992 Olympic

His elevation has come at an

opportune moment for im-pressing some 50 foreign jour-nalists who have been invited

here to investigate the struc-

ture of Paris's candidacy. Lun-

cheon spent listening to the Premier carries a social per-

suasion several tones higher than hearing a mere Mayor.

The journalists were imme-diately informed that there is

no truth in the rumour, which

gained ground two weeks ago

at the meeting of the Olympic

Summer Sports Federation in

Rome, that Paris is about to withdraw to clear the nath for

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## RUGBY UNION: WALES SEVEN WILT IN AUSTRALIAN HEAT AFTER AN UNBEATEN START

# All Blacks' power clouds the day

The only cloud on a day of leave gaps for his hard-run- ons who, to their credit, sunny celebration for the New ning colleagues to exploit. South Wales Rugby Union Two tries by Brooke, the and their new Concord Oval Auckland loose forward, gave

ground yesterday was the final result in their international sevens tournament. Australia, who go to the Cathay Pacific Hong Kong Bank Sevens next month as defending champi-ons, were decisively beaten by New Zealand who scored six The rivalry between the two countries remains as intense and abrasive as ever. The All Blacks allied the strength and

power of the 15-a-side game to and gave New Zealand an the sevens requirement of average of 22 points a match. dominating possession and produced outstanding playing personalities in Frano Botica Botica, the North Harbour stand-off half, scored 56 points (seven tries) in five of Jonathan Davies. The twinhis country's six matches. Shelford, who toured with the New Zealand Combined Services in Britain before Christmas, had the strength to draw defenders, stay on his feet and

Wasps fly off from a helipad

tries in a 32-0 win.

and Wayne Shelford.

### By a Correspondent

Blackheath. Albertville in their bid for the Wasps ....

winter Olympics. The reverse is more probable. Alain Danet, the executive chairman of the campaign committee, is delighted with this week's developments. "The election reinforces our

Aura enhanced by

Chirac's advance Prime Ministers may not have votes on the International Olympic Committee, oo October 17, yet the sura of French hospitality, always a major lers, gave Wasps a commanding lead of 17-3 at half-time.

factor, in this issue, will be substantially enhanced by Chirae's political advance. This additionally gives him direct influence in matters such as security. Chirac had said, prior to the election: "Do not under estimate three things. The prestige of Paris,

#### From David Hands, Rugby Correspondent, Sydney

final, spurred on by Davies's sixth try and fine form from

Moriarty. Unfortunately

Moriarty sustained a dead leg

in that game and Davies

played against Australia with a

slightly strained harnstring (which did not prevent his

scoring another try against those from Lynagh, Williams and Ella). But in the face of

Australia's overall pressure

the Welsh game wilted in temperatures which, on Satur-

The dark horses were Spain,

who defeated England in the qualifying rounds and gave their Latin cousins from Ar-

gentina a run for their money

before bowing out in the quarter-finals by 12-6. The Spanish had to study film of

Australia earlier in the week to

understand sevens technique

day, exceeded 90 degrees.

recognized from then on the need to step up their game. Wales were unbeaten in their qualifying group and beat France in the quarter-

New Zealand the best of starts in the final. Botica added a third before Australia lost Glen Ella, dazed by something approximating to a stiff-arm tackle from Shelford. He was followed off by Gould and Australia conceded further tries to Botica, Kirk and Clamp, Botica kicking four conversions in a scoreline which equalled the most convincing win of the tournament

Australia had disposed in the semi-final of Wales, who contibuted one of the personalities of the tournament in kling Neath stand-off enjoyed his finest moment in the qualifying rounds against New Zealand when he showed remarkable sustained pace and scored three tries in an 18-12 defeat of the eventual champi-

victory which gives them the right to meet Nottingham in the delayed quarter-final next

a platform as a helicopter pad from which raiders took off to harry the enemy in all direc-tions. Blackheath assisted Wasps with feeble tackling, starting in the first minute of the game, when Bailey on the left wing was generously allowed to pass by three defenders as he went over in the corner. This weakness in defence manifested itself in the next try, carved out by Stringer and scored by Rose. Then Bonner went over from a move begun by Cardus, the

second try in succession where a forward finished off work begun by the backs, which sums up the way Wasps were playing. A conversion and a penalty goal hy Stringer, to which Blackheath replied with a penalty by Wal-

from Pearse, the former Wallabies flanker, but they difference. produced their own heroes m Rivero, a bearded centre who plays for Agen in Franceand Puertas, a fine runner and goal-kicker.

They may be among the Spanish party to visit England next month when they will play a Devon and Cornwall XV and England Under-23. That at least would allow England a measure of revenge for a desperately poor tournament in which they looked among the least talented Hill, the Bath scrum half,

scored a try against Spain in the 24-6 defeat and Winterbottom, another against Australia but the Dutch proved a considerable obstacle before late tries by Clough and Thomas (in the last seconds) brought England their only win by 20-16. Ripley and Williams scored earlier tries and Hill, revealing a hitherto unsuspected talent for goaland they received coaching kicking, landed the two con-

versions which made the

NEW ZEALAND: W Clamp, C Graen, F Botica, D Sark (captain); W Shelford, M Brooke-Cowden, Z Brooke-Cowden, Z

AUSTRIALIA: I Williams, G Ella (rep B Mooc), M Lynaph, P'Cox, R Gould (captain, rep S Tuymnan), S Poldevin, P Lucas e: R Fordham (New South

their own judges, as they have done, is unprecedented. Wales). POOL A: Australia 18, Netherlands. 0; Spain 24, Eagland 6; Spain 12, Netherlands 6; Australia 24, En-gland 6; England 20, Netherlands. 16; Australia 18, Spain 10. POOL B: New Zeeland 22; Tonga 0; Wales 18, USA 0; Tonga 16, USA 4; Wales 18, New Zeeland 12; Wales 18, Tonga 12; New Zeeland 28, USA 0. If anyone has ever asked for such public humiliation,

Tatiana Danilenko did so on Thursday evening, when she hoisted a mark of 5.9, e tenth of a point below perfection, for the technical content in the pro-gramme of Alexander Fadeyev,

16, Tonga 12, Yenw Zeanano 20, OSA 0. POOL C: Western Samoa 24, Roma-nia 6; Argeina 27, Japan 0; Romania 12, Japan 6; Argeinias 21, Romania 4; Western Samoa 10, Japan 6; POOL D: Filj 32, Canada 6; Frince 10, Canada 16; South Korea 10, Canada 10; Fill 18; South Korea 5; QUANTER-FINALS: Australia France 8; Argentina 12; Spain 6; New Zealand 16; Fill 0; Selli-FINALS: Australia 18; Wales 6; New Zealand 24, Argentina 4; FINAL: New Zealand 32; Australia 0. have been justified had Fadeyev achieved his aspirations with a programme of stupendous difficuity, but his failure was so complete that all except one of the other eight judges confined

Gloucester denied Bromont (Reuter) - Marc Girardelli of Luxembourg won his second consecutive overall-men's World Cup title on Friday despite failing to finish the season's final, race, a 'slalom event won by Bojan Krizaj of Yugoslavia. Girardelli, aged 22, straddled a gate during the second leg of the race and had to wait for his Swiss rival Pirmin Zurbriggen their feast

They like their rugby served red raw with plenty of hot mustard in the West Country. Add the spice of cup com-petition and it can waim the blood on a cold Saturday after-

Gloucester's robust forwards had arrived with the intention of feasting on the carcase of a pack

feasting on the carcase of a pack they had almost devoured on their last visit, in January. This time, however, the exiles were much better prepared and the West Country side went away hungry, losing by one goal, two penalty goals to two frigs. So, it was the Scots, after a high competitive game, who qualified for the semi-finals of the John Player Special Cort. Gloucester can only blame themselves. Some of their for-ward surges were a joy to watch as they covered almost half the length of the pitch, unless you happened to be a Scot. It was a pity that their lock, Brain, was pity that their lock, Brain, was foolish enough to get himself sent off for punching 14 minutes into the second half and deprive

into the second half and deprive his colleagues of his consid-erable services. The tiresome antice of visiting spectators who directed a chant of "cheats" at Gloucester, must have hardened the conviction of those who woold spittler their rugby devoid of correction petitions because of the emotion they generate. One' spectator who, had the One speciator who had the

Humiliating ban for Soviet judge From John Hennessy, Geneva

The world figure skating championships took a novel hurn at the weekend. There is nothing new in a Soviet judge being suspended nor, to be fair, judges from other countries (including.Britain) suffering the same punishment, but for the Soviet Union to suspend one of their own judges, as they have were intent on warding of censure from the International Stating Union. Mr Lawrence Demmy, a British member of the council of the ISU, described Mrs Danilenko's decision as The most ridiculous piece of

"the most ridiculous piece of judging I have ever seen". The final event of the championships, the ice dance, once the unchallenged domain of Torvill and Dean, was won for the second time by Natalya Besternianova and Andrei Butin

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GOLF SKIING **Oxford's** Girardelli singles on top of lead way the world

young compatitiot.

The mark would certainly

By Nicholas Keith

Oxford lost one singles match on Saturday but their victory over Cambridge at Ganton, an inspired choice for the 97th University match, was not as clearcut as the final score of 11-4 mould suggest

Would suggest. With the sponsors, Grani Thornton, a firm of chartered accountants, extending their support until 1990 at least and at "an advanced stage" of planning e four-way tournament between Oxford, Cambridge, Harvard Oxford, Cambridge, Harvard and Yale, at Rye next spring, it was by a happy coincidence that Tim Dickens; a Harvard man, claimed the decisive point against Brian Bergstrom, a fel-low American. The top three singles held the key. Simon Ellis, the Cambridge captain, missed too many short putts and also broke two clubs in succumbing on the last green to Michael MacPhae.In the most exciting match, David Meacher

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exciring match, David Meacher won the first four holes against won the first foat holes against Duncan Rendall, but then found himself three down with seven to play. He holed three putts from over 15ft on successive greens from the fourteenth and he had a six-footer for the match on the last, although he admitted that a half was a fair result in

the end. Isin Smith was the only Cambridge success is a meeting between next year's captain against Karl Frearson.

against, Kain Freinson, Scoues addition and a single M W M H McPhoe bt S 0 Ells one hole: D L Rendell halved with C II Mencher, M H Malern hr J R Bashall S and 2: K Fransron test to I J M Braint 6 mdS; C G While ht A th Spuring 9 and 8: W H P Jackson ht H A Philips 10 and 3: E J Patention ht G W Discor 3 and 7: C E R M Hall bt C C Ellstein one hole; T E Dickers th B D Benjetron 5 and 4; J E Robert B M Miss F J Macdonald 3 and 1.

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Seen but possibly not heard: Davidson of Leicester earmarks Jackson of Harlequins for special treatment in the scrum (Photograph: Ian Stewart)

# **Richards the lion-hearted**

By John Clemison

on Richards, the England No 8, second Harlequins, try to give whose performance against Harlequins was outstanding, Supported by Richardson and would win, and Richards's try,

By Bryan Stiles

London Scottish Gloucester ......

noon in Spring. Just such a piquant dish was served up at Richmond where

a gate during the second leg of the race and had to wait for his Swiss rival. Pinnin Zurbriggen to determine the outcome. But Zurbriggen, who would have taken the title had he won, eventually finished third. REBULTS: 1. 6 total (hep 1 who 58.66 sec 2. P Frommar Used) 159.85. 3. P Zurbrigges (Switz) 200.11: 4. J Schick (WG) 200.51: 5. A Warzel (Lach 159.85. 3. P Zurbrigges (Switz) 200.11: 4. J Schick (WG) 200.51: 5. A Warzel (Lach 159.85. 3. P Zurbrigges (Switz) 200.12: 4. J Schick (WG) 200.51: 5. A Warzel (Lach 159.85. 3. P Zurbrigges (Switz) 200.12: 4. J Schick (WG) 200.51: 5. A Warzel (Lach 159.85. 3. P Schick (MG) 200.51: 5. A Warzel (Lach 200.76 Schick 10) 200.75: 4. M Torazzi (H) 2271.05: 8. H Strotz (Austria) 2:07.16 Schick (MG) 200.30: 5. J Schick (MG) 200.30: 55. D Fohtame (F) 2:05.43 WORLD CHP Fund. STAMBORS 1: R Petrovic (Yug) 125 pis; equal 2.1 Sammark (Swe), P. Terommak (Schich & Krist (Yug) 100: 5. J Nisson (Swei) 85: 6. P Zurbriggen (Switz) 2:04: 5. 1 Stannark (World: Ley 2:04: 5. 1 Stannark (World: Ley 3. Wasseen (WG) 2:14. A Giardew (Luc) 2:24 pis; 2. P Zurbriggen (Weig) 170; 8. H Strotz (Austria) 165: 9. P Waraberger (Austria) 142; YO, G Mader (Austria) 143. M Mateja Fyvet of Yugoslavia

· Mateja Fvet of Yugoslavia won the women's giant slalom on Saturday to consolidate her third place in the World Cup

third place in the World Cup standings. RESULTS: 1, M Fvet (Yug) 2 min 19,16 sec: 2, O. Chervelove (C2) 2:17.26; 3, V Schneider (Switz) 2:19.22; 4, M Wellser (Switz) 2:20178; 5, J LaCaste (Carl) 2:20.08; 6, C Strobi (Austria) 2:20.77; 7, 5 Wolf (Austria) 2:2033; 8, C Meda (Fr) 2:21.28; 95, MEGang (MG) 2:21.24; 10.6 Glasser Bjenter (Switz) 2:21.55; 11. R Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 2:1, 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 2:21, 55 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 2:22.57; 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 2:21, 55 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 2:21, 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 2:21, 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:21.50; 5 Betschart (Switz) 2:55 Be

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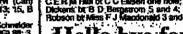
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lead of 17-3 at half-time. Helped by the wind, Blackheath got within striking distance midway through the second half with a try by Slack, converted by Walters, and a checky dropped goal from neartouch by McHardy. But another penalty from Stringer and a lovely try from Simon Seriet in the second serie Worm

Wasps may have had five internationals among their backs but it was the forwards who laid the foundation for this fourth-round John Player Cup

position", he said . "Instead of our campaign being represent-Friday. Their pack set up not so much ed by three figureheads, the President, the Premier and the Mayor, there are now just two men, President Mitterand and M. Chirac. The President is wholly in support of our bid, irrespective of party, and now M. Chirac is in a position to talk directly with other heads of government."

the technical quality of our bid, and the exceptional reception that we will give to competitors and delegations."

With a £6 million publicity budget, Paris will have far outspent Birmingham on promotion, though not Barcelona. Already nearly 40 IOC members have visited Paris, compared with a dozen or so to Birmingham. Yet this is not to say the battle is over for Birmingham: or Paris. Everything, Danet agrees, will de-**RAF** potential pend on the second and third vnting. "I do not think for a moment

that Barcelona can gain the 46-vote majority they need at by Underwood the first count" be said. "They will probably receive around 30 the first time, including their guaranteed Latin/American support, but Royal Air Force ...... 20 may well not get more than that in a second or third vote. I A brace of tries by Rory Underwood -in a 12-minute counter-offensive before no-side think everything will depend on how the votes then fluctuate between Amsterdam ourselves and Birmingham. Initially, I would expect the Anglo-Saxon votes (of Western Europe and the Commonwealth) will be split between Birmingham, Brisbane and Amsterdam".

#### Altruistic reasons for French bid

Force: Penaltise: Worrall (2). Tries: Underwood (2). Parsonage. Conversion: Lazenby. ROYAL NAYY: LI C Alcock (Seahawk. Capit): LFT R Pentoid (Armazon), POWEM(C) J Pocklangton (Colimgwood), WEM(R) D Cakley (Deflances: AB M Speekmaen (Rateght: MEMAL) G Price (Ous), AB J Kingston (Bravel: CPOPT R Ewins (Temerste), LS(S)SM R Joy (Oo-phen), LI & Howarth (Nation), LAEM(M) B Woodcock (Deodcalus), LIT Russell (Orake), Cal M Hewitt (Royal Marines), AEM(N) G Wood (Osprey), Li & Heghes (Royal Marines). ROYAL ARP FORCE: Cpl S Lazenby (Brozs Norton): Fit LI M Aspinall (Brozs Norton), Jar Tech. S Roke (St Atram), FO I Goalth (Brozs Norton, capit), FO R Laderwood (Chavenori: Sqt P A'Herne (St Atran) (replacement SAC N Raites (Groenham Common), Cpl S Worrall (Wittering): Cpl M Whatcombe (North Litterinam), SAC K Davies (Unbridge), SAC A Sellert (Brozs Norton), Cpl S Worrall (Wittering), Cpl M Whatcombe (North Litterinam), SAC K Davies (Unbridge), SAC A Sellert (Brozs Norton), Cpl S Richardson (Oschangar), Cpl R Burn (Bruzs Norton), Cpl D Parsonage (Finning)ey), FO I Stevens Leuchars), Jan Tech D Gigg (St Athan), Refame: Dr J Coulson (Northumberland Society). Danet supports Chirac's theory: that the strongest claim of Paris is that they want the games, on the centenary of the formation of the IOC, not as do Birmingham and Barcelong for the benefit of the city -"we don't need the games" Danet saya - but, as the French claim, for the altruistic benefit of the Olympics: hospitable and free of boycott and acrimony. Secondly. Danet thinks their security and telecommunications will be as good as any. "The IOC should take note of the reports by their own commission, and by the National Olympic Committees and International Sports Federations. But in the end they should consider why each candidate city wishes to have the games".

The Paris bid is emotionally powerful. What chance Birmingham has depends on how much notice IOC members do take of the specialist reports: these will show that in sporting terms, for informality and transport ease for competitors, Birmingham is probably the most suitable apart from Brisbane.

If either of France's candidates withdraws, it is sure to be Albertville. The publicity has been beneficial to its chairman, Michel Barnier, a political ally of Chirac. It would be sense for Barnier to make the gesture.

Harlequins . Smith in the corner saw Wasps Leicester.

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By Peter Marson

underlined the Royal Air Force's true potential and sig-

nalled a hard-won victory against the Royal Navy in the

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Smith in the corner saw Wasps confortably home, SCORERS: Blackheath: Try: Stack conversion: Weiters, Dropped goat McHardy, Penalty: Waters, Wasper Triest Balley, Rose, Bonner, Simth, Conversion Stringer, Penalty: Stringer (2), BLACINFEATH: G Waters: K Purchase, L Cokell, R Bodenhem, N Alcon; G Hughes, H McHardy: P Essenhigh, B Howe, K Rutty: D Vaughan, I Hursey, I Anderson, G Hamiton, S Stack, WASPS: N Stringer; S Scritth, R Cardus, R Lozowski, M Balley; G Rees (rep: K Titcombel, S Bates: P Rendal, A Simmons, J Probyn, M Rigby, C Pinnegar, J Bonner, D Pegler, M Rose, Referee: C High (Manchester). Leicester were overwhelmed by Bath, the John Player Cup holders, in their first main fixture of the season at Welford Road, their home ground, last September. Now, as the season draws to a close, they must again beat Bath, again at Leicester, if they are to progress to the final of this year's competition.

Is reaching the semi-finals as good as Leicester can hope for this time? Anyone who saw last September's encounter might think so, hut the hordes of their vociferous supporters at the Stoop Memorial Ground, Twickenham, on Saturday will

have none of it. Leicester's hopes rest heavily another high class No 8, added a

## Winds help Newport breeze to victory

#### By Gerald Davies

15 Newport .. Aberavon. The weather took a turn for the worse, so this Schweppes Welsh Cup semi-final was never

inter-services tournament match at Twickenham on going to be anything more than a fierce and uncompromising The Air Force had left it late but, by retaining the Windsor Life Trophy, the Services chamcontest up front. Newport, with their immense and powerful pack, would make certain there would be no broad sweep on Seturday's guider generation. pions made it plain the Army will have to be in their best form Saturday's muddy canvas. They can dominate matches but often SCORERS: Royal Navy: Penalties: Price (2). Dropped goal: Price. Royal Air Force: Penalties: Worrall (2). Tries: Underwood (2), Parsonage. Conversion: amot offer much elsewhere. Aberavon, who have im-proved steadily since Christmas and took Llanelli's scalp in the last round, must have hoped for a similarly loose game as they had at Stradey. The weather conditions denied them the

opportunity and Newport were in no mood for frivolities and won by two goals and a penalty to two penalties. Aberavon are no slouches at forward but Newport, with Rhys Morgan and Michael J Watkins, were not to be shifted

in the scrums. Aberavon, even though they lost Fauvel, their promising No.8, after 20 minites, were still dominant in the line-out through the ball-win-ning ability of Brown and Jenkins. But it was a scrummag-

WEEKEND RUGBY UNION RESULTS

JOHN PLAYER SPECIAL CUP: Quarter-finals: Harlequins 8. Lecester 15: London Sottish 12. Gloucester S. Foorth round: Blackheath 12, Wasps 24. JOHN SMITH'S MERTI TABLE B: North-ampton 16, Waterloo 9; Bectord 0, Orrel Sheffield 15, Vale of Lune 12: South Wates Police 14. Met Police 3: Sele 25, Seracens 18; West Hartlepool 6, Roundhay 0; Weston-super-Mare 7, Camborne 13; Cross Keys 15, Abertällery 15.

Cross Keys 15, Aberdaery 15, ULSTER SENIOR CLP: Quarter-finals: Ards 11, Ballymena 19; Collegans 6, Malone 15; NIFC 10, Bangor 16; Instrumens 17, Academy 4, Senior Plate: Queen's University 20, City of Denry 10, Clab matches: Dunganion 13, Carrick 6; CYNAS 0, Ballymoney 3. 25. SCHWEPPES WELSH CUP: Semi-finate: Aberavon 6, Newport 15; Cardulf 17, Aberravon 6, Newport 15; Caross M. Bridgeno 9. SCOTTISH FIRST DIVISION: Edinburgh Acade 8. West of Scottand 15; Cata 26, Boroughmar C Hancrofs FP 10, Selticit 4: Jed-Fores 15, Preston Longe 9; Katso 45, Watsonans 5; Metrose 22, Nilmamock 0; Stewart's-Mehille FP 6, Hennick 16, INTERNATIONAL MATCH: Italy Cotts 16, Environt Critis 0.

REPRESENTATIVE MATCH: England 16 Group 6, President's XV 10, Top form

England Colts 0. CLUB MATCHES: Buth 30, Richmond 13: Birmingham 3, Narrogate 0; Bristol 34, Rosstyn Park 22; Durham 16, Hardepool 6; Headangley 22, New Brighton 3: London trish 28, Pontypridd 3: London Welsh 16, Newtondge 10: Massing 29, Coventry 4: Meddiactrough 10, Pride 3; Mossiey 24, Swansaa 13; Neath 10, Llanelli 4; North-ern 12, Watefield 13; Notthingham 38, Liverpool 12; Nunceton 14, Einteinhead Park 16; Pontypool 34, Penanth 12; The eighth All-England schonk's festival, played at Preston Grasshoppers, ended in a 10-0 victory for Si Brendan's over QEGS Wakefield. RESULTS:Sent-finals: St Brendan's 8, kinkham GS 0: DEGS Wakefield 8, Hutton GS 4, Final: St Brendan's 10, DEGS Wakefield 0.

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touched down after almost the Davidson, among others, he has matured well this season, and will be giving Egenon, Hall and Spurrell a hard time when they point. meet.

They also depend on Hare their prolific kicker, who had problems gauging the wind on Saturday – one of his penalty kicks, from all of 50 metres, rebounded off the crossi and on Cusworth, who took an

age to realize that the factical kick was more effective than the. swift pass against Harlequins' hard-tackling centres. Leicester looked as though

they would go through as soon as they had recovered from Dent's try, scored after just two minutes. Even though Jackson,

ing sort of day and it was here that Newport drove home the advantage. Time and again Aberavon were forced to con-

Aberavon were forced to con-cede ground. And if by chance Aberavon tried to wander away from the pattern, they were enveloped by Roger Powell and Richie Collins, who played

They took an early three-point lead with the wind in their favour. Jonathan Griffith's first

penalty was from well within his

penalty was from well within his own half. But a little later the full back misjudged Turner's grubber kick and the stand-off followed it up to get the try which he converted himself. It was in the third minute of injury time that Aberwoon down laved

time that Aberavon draw level

Within 20 minutes Newport had added another try when Callard went blind side of the

scrum and passed to Collins to get the try which Turner con-verted before adding another

penaity. SCORERS: Newport: Tries: P Turner, R Colins, Commercials: P Turner (2) Pen-altice: P Turner (1) Absenvore: Penaities: J Griffiths, M Lewis. ABERAVORE J Griffither, P Jones, G Matthews, M Thomas, R Diplock, M Lewis, R Giles (capt): P Knight, B James, O Joseph, T Reue, I Brown, J Jankins, P Yardley, T Feurel (rep: A Thomas). NEWPORT: R Knight: M Batten, D Pitt, P Daniel, J Whate; P Turner, N Callerd; J Revins, M J Watsions (capt), R Morgan, R Collins, J Witchcombe, A Perry, R Powell, O Waters. Referees: C Norling (WRU).

kingston in the final of the

Kingston in the final of the Carlsberg national champion-ship play-offs that it was diffi-cult to see why there had been any doubts in the first place (Nicholas Harling writes). Kingston's 114-97 win over Birmingham Bullets at Wem-bley on Saturday was little more than a procession.

than a procession. By half-time, with their lead 57-37, the trophy looked to be in

Kingston's safi keeping for the first time and gallantly though Donaldson (31 points), Hays (26) and Shoulders (22) tried to

stem the inevitable tide against

penaity.

with a Mike Lewis penalty.

right to feel aggricyed was Frazier, the unfortunate Scot-tish prop. He did not even reach the field of play, having pulled a leg muscle on the way from the entire Leicester pack had tried to barge their way through to the line, only served to make the Cusworth scored the earlier Leicester try from Richards'

break, Hare converting both and adding a solitary penalty goal.

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Hawick hopes

are high as the wind

By Ian McLanchlan

Hawick, by beating their nearest rivals, Stewart's-Mcl-ville, 16-6, remain on course to win their ninth League title. In high wind and squally showers thevisiting pack proved foo strong for their opponents. out, taking two-handed carches or deflecting to a fellow inter-national, Campbell, who drove strongly forward. In the loose the work of McGaughey, Turnbull and Hogarth was

Their forwards took the game in hand, Hogarth feeding McGaughey, who crossed the line unopposed, and Easton

the field of play, having puncts leg muscle on the way from the dressing-room. Irvine kicked two penaltics for the Scots before the Glouces-ter flanker. Gadd, scored a try after a finic. forward 'thrust. McKay, a substitute, increased the home Side's, lead in the second half yinh a definitin try. Irvine Scottered, and then in injory fime Smith, collected an unconverted fly. SCOMENS: London Scotting: Try: McKay. Converse: Triss: Gad, Smith. LONDON' SCOTTSH: G Heatings: T Paterson-Brown, L Renwick, S twine, L Battor, N Chessorth (rogicoment: A McKay), A Custang: NWer, 1Krk, J Reid, 1 Morrison, J Campbell-Lanonton, D Tost, B Austh, J Machin. GLOUCESTER: T Smith: O Morgan treplecoment R Williams), P Taylor, R McLean, J Brezer, M Hamila, M Harma-tort P. Jones, K Williams, M Harma-tort P. Jones, K Williams, M Harma-tort P. Jones, K Williams, M Longstaff, M Tagos. Pinklon Thomas, a previously-unbeaten American. Berbick, e Jamaican-born Canadian, re-ceived only \$50,000 (about £35,000) for a victory which made him asuccessor to the likes of Larry Holmes, Muhammad Ali and Joe Frazier.

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The draw for the Sunningdale Foursomes, which starts today and continues until Thursday, stems to have been kind to the holders, Sam Torrance and John O'Leary, Ryder Cup players both (John Hennessy writes). They have a bye into the second round and their prospective early opponents tend to lack weight.

**Berbick wins** It may not be until Wednes-Las Vegas (Reuter) - Trevor Berbick became, a. cut-price beavyweight champion on Sat-urday when he wan the World day afternoon before they face their first difficult test. This presupposes that Mickey Walker and Katherine Panton, Boxing Council title with e unanimous points win over founder members of the Women's Professional Golf Association, overcome the three pairs of opponents who block their way to the sixth round. Neil Coles makes his faithful

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to win with much to spare. 136 (Jernings 60, Seamen 38, Jerenich 17), Walkers Crisps Lektester 117 (Vaughan 38, Meeghar 14, James 13). WOMEN'S RIMAL Crystal Palace 73, Avon Northampton 65.

a penalty midway through the half. He put his side into the lead two minutes later when Turnbull, the Hawick flanker, was penalized for punching. In the second half Hawick used the wind to telling effect.

converting magnificently from the touchline. In the last quarter Oliver touched down and again

Easton converted.

back and Symon Scott put over

Hawick elected to play into the wind. They opened the scoring in seven minutes when,

from a turned scrum, the pack drove and propelled Deans over for a try. Stewart's-Melville surged



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| • .        | THEATRES                                                                                                                                             | GARDEN OF ALLAH                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Eves 8. Wed mats 3. Sats 8 & 8.30                                                                                                                                                           | HOROVITCH, LAN OGILVY and                                                                                                                                                                                           | LA CAGE AUX FOLLES                                                                                                                                                  | SMALL MASTERPIECE ALL                                                                                                            | BEST MUSICAL OF 1985                                                                       | STEPHANIE HUGH                                                                          | (0789) 296623 or Tickemaster                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | "THE ACTING IS A SHEER JOT"                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |              |
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| C          | SIVELY with First Call On 240<br>7200 24 Hr 7 Days                                                                                                   | COTTESLOE S 928 2252 CC<br>UNEXONAL Theatre's sould and<br>toriumi. Tonit 7.50 STUCHO<br>HINNED THE WOMEN by Clare                                                                                                               | CC 240 7200. Eves 8.0.<br>Thu Mat 3, 54t 8 4 8.30                                                                                                                                           | HAYMARKET THEATRE ROYAL                                                                                                                                                                                             | LYING THEATHE Shafterbury                                                                                                                                           | MATRONAL THEATRE Sth Bank<br>(The building will be closed 28                                                                     | Ray Jewers will play Elvis Presley                                                         |                                                                                         | SPEARE COMPART ST Roym<br>Endemyers Taster in Reason<br>and Jaket (from 3) March).<br>Whiters Take 25 Mayl. Although<br>the State Take 25 Mayl. Although<br>the State Take 25 Mayl. Although<br>Head March II. En-<br>tropy Series Take 25 April. En-<br>tropy Series Take 26 April. En-<br>tropy Series Take 26 April. En-<br>tropy Series Take 20 April. En-<br>tropy Series Take 20 April. En- | DESIDEFILS SCALES                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | _            |
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| 1          | THE LAMBETH WALK                                                                                                                                     | BOGHE TOBOT WAY 7 20 LINE<br>ANT 4 & S THE ROAD TO<br>MECCA. (The building will be                                                                                                                                               | AWARD WINNING                                                                                                                                                                               | PETER OTOOLE                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 8166/7 First Call 24 hour 7 day<br>or bookings 01:240 7200                                                                                                          | NATIONAL THEATRE                                                                                                                 | PICCADELLY THEATHE 437                                                                     | "The serve here of Britsto's comic                                                      | 107691 67262                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | WHEN WE ARE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | 2110         |
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|            | "THE ONLY LIVE MUSICAL                                                                                                                               |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | "TRUMPH ON TAP" EVE SId                                                                                                                                                                     | MICHAEL DEMISON                                                                                                                                                                                                     | SEOFFREY BURNINGE                                                                                                                                                   | COTTONS OF Excellent Chest                                                                                                       | "A Scillant Mendical" BEC                                                                  | See Ambanadors Theatre                                                                  | Wed mats 3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | thereafed by Ronald Evite.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | ur           |
| ÷.         | Speciator                                                                                                                                            | CHITTERICAL S 930 3216 CC 379                                                                                                                                                                                                    | "TRUMPH ON TAP" Eve Sid<br>Hit County by Richard Hartis<br>Directed by Julia McKenzie<br>COMENT OF THE YEAR                                                                                 | MARUS COMME<br>ECOPYREY KIXIX<br>BODEA LISTER<br>PALL ROBERS<br>DMAN SERVICAN<br>SAVID WALLER                                                                                                                       | A AMANDA WARDIG IN                                                                                                                                                  | SCAR GAYS OF PATS ALL UNSTREES<br>FOOD 10 AM. EXSTAURANT (S26<br>2053), CHEAR, EASY CAR PAR,<br>TOURS OF THE BUILDING (INC       | DAVID FRANK                                                                                | See Criterion Theatre                                                                   | CAFE PUCCINI                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | PLEASURABLE EVENING ANY.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | iui.         |
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#### From John Woodcock, Cricket Correspondent, Bridgetown

In an agony of anti-climax England's first innings fell to pieces here yesterday after they had started play with at least drawing the third Test match, sponsored by Cable and Wireless. From an nvernight 110 for one - they had had much their best day of the tour on Saturday - England slumped in 189 all nut and by 2.20 they were following on 229 runs behind. Lulled into a false sense of npumism by the way in which

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Gooch and Gower had batted on Saturday evening, we had visions of the West Indian bowline machine beginning th run out nf steam by yesterday afternoon. Yet they were bril-lianly effective in exactly the conditions that England were and the new ball was taken hnping to be spared. On a still, humid, often cloudy day batting was not at all the simple husiness it had

appeared on Saturday evening. In Garner's first two overs alone Gooch was beaten five times. The grass may have grown a little hut, if so, that was no more than a contributory factor. Sonn the failow-on loomed and when, in the last over of

the morning. Botham, as he was beginning to play well, got himself out, England never looked like avoiding it. It will give an idea of the problems involved because of the way the hall moved about that Dujon held five catches at the wicket. Richardson two at eight years, a scarcely credible second slip and Best one at statistic.

cess and popularity of cricket in the Emirate of Sharjah is

underlined by the decision to

stage the first Australasia Cup

here next month. Sheikh Faisal hin Khalid al-Qasimi, chair-

Australia, India, Pakistan, New

Zealand and Sri Lanka would compete for \$110,000 (£75,430)

in prize money in a series of

third slip. Saturday's play had ended with the thousands of England supporters wondering whether what they had what seemed a fair chance of seen might have been too good in be true. After a first day on which England had been outplayed, there had come a sudden change of fortune. At 269 for two on Friday night West Indies looked like scoring as many as took their fancy, especially when by Saturday morning Emburey had fallen foul of the stomach

virus. Yet wondrous things began to happen. Emburey, thrught to have an hour's bowling in him befine having to take to his bed, soon removed Richard-Thnmas bowled as Snow or Statham would have been proud to. By tea West Indies had lost their last eight wickets for 149 runs, four of them to Thomas

On the corresponding Saturday of this corresponding match five years ago Ken Barrington died while assistant manager of the England team. As a great fighter he would have loved Saturday's play, the more so when Gooch and Gower added 104 together after tea. Had bad light not ended play five minutes early they might have become the first batsmen from any country to bat through a full session of play against West Indies for

But yesterday morning they never looked like doing so. It had become, for two main reasons, a different game. Richards had given his bowlers what jockeys call a "reminder" and Garner and Marshall made the ball lift and swing and seam as they had shown no signs of doing on the previous evening. Although Gower played a nice stroke or two, including a hook for four

nff Marshall, Gooch was regularty beaten by Garner. After 25 minutes Gower was caught at the wicket off a lovely ball from Marshall that left him just ennugh to find the nutside edge. Gooch, 46 over-night, took 40 minutes to add to his score, and when he did so it was with a boundary over the slips off the shoulder of the bat, Marshall this time making one rear. In the next over it was Gooch's turn to edge a nasty lifting ball from Garner.

to Dujnn. There was really no avoiding it. Just before the morning drinks Willey was also caught at the wicket, Barker, the umpire, keeping him waiting so long for a decision that it was hard not to think that he reached it on the vehemence of the appeal. Barker, it should be said, seemed to see a funny side to it. Next to depart was Lamh, the edge going this time

low to Richardson at second Marshall · being the slip, bowler. So much were Marshall and

Garner enjoying themselves

## **International Gulf tournament**

stan have called up the allrounder Mansoor Elahi to their open with New Zealand meet-14-man squad for the Asia Cup one-day competition. Elahi will

five one-day matches starting 
 Colombo (Reuter) - Paki-

that it was 90 minutes before Richards broke them up. Although Garner had taken only one wicket in his eight overs, while Marshall was taking three, he had played an equal part in dashing England's hopes. And when Holding replaced him he at once hit Botham a crushing blow in the Even so, Botham had batted

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for an hour with a proper sense of responsibility when he let the side down. He had he is the state down in the first hock off Holding. Trying another off Patterson, in the last over before lunch, he skied it to Dujon. The stroke was palpably ill timed. In the second over of the

afternoon Emhurey was caught at third slip off Patterson. Downton hung on for 35 minutes before being leg-before, playing no stroke, and Edmonds for 50 minutes before being caught at second slip. Foster was leg-before to a full toss. So England followed: on: the West Indian fast: bowlers still full of going, the day not yet half run and clouds hanging ominously

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Total FALL OF WICKETS: 1-6, 2-128, 3-134 141, 5-151, 6-168, 7-172, B-187, B-186 OWLING: Marshall 14-1-42-4; Gain 14-4-35-1; Pettarson 15-5-54-3; Hold 13-4-37-2; Richards 3-0-9-0, Investmin D M Archer and L Barber. Umpires: D N Archer and L Barks

the women for success for a

change yesterday and were

eventually rewarded in both

the individual and team

events. Zola Budd slipped and

slid to an expected victory in

the world championships.

And, after another couple of

slips, England scored a largely

unexpected victory in the

The first slip in the team

race was on the part of Miss

Budd's colleagues, Carole Bradford, Julie Laoghton,

Jane Shields and Ruth Par-

tridge, who tried to match the

youngster's flying start. After figuring in the leading group

behind Miss Budd for the first

lap, their impetuosity was rewarded with a painful slide

down the field on the second

They were then victims of a

series of appalling organiza-tional gaffes when Mrs Shields, in 34th place, was

missed off the result sheet and

declared the winners. It took

Storming

**Bennett** 

Bennett was two behind at

the turn after Reese had holed

out with a seven iron from 170

vards for an eagle-two at the

eighth. But Bennett hit back

with a pitch close to the prn to

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two holes later He took the

lead when the former New

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missed dropped a stroke at the 15th. Both birdied the 16th.

hut Reese fell two strokes back

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team race.



# Venables may be Arsenal bound

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By David Miller

Arsenal are optimistic that f Terry Venables decides to return to England from Bares which is by no means certain yet - that he will prefer Highbury to White Hart Land Because of the do stress placed upon his family by two years' separation while he has brought Burcelona to the forefront of European football, Venables might de-cide to take a rest from the game. This was apparent from his attitude following last week's Earopean Cap trianpit. over Juventa

Peter Hill-Wood, the chair an of Arsenal, was surprised by the announcement on Setarday evening, immediately after Arsenal's victory over Coventry City, by Don Howe, the manager, that he wished to terminate his contract on the

Before the match, Howe had greed with Hill-Wood, seeningly amicably, that he would see out the remaining three aths of his contract. He had initially told the chairman that he wished to resign, following news of Arsenal's interest in Venables, but had modified this request.

Two weeks ago, Hill-Wood informed Howe that his con-tract would not be renewed at the end of this season. They had agreed before yesterday's match, with Howe aware that Hill-Wood had had discas-sions with Venables, that it would make sense, both for the club and for Howe, for him to continue as manager for the rinder of the season in view of Arsenal's contin side chance of the Leag title, which could only enhance Liowe's reputation when it came to moving elsewhere. His change of attitude by the end of the match came as a sarprise to Arsenal officials.

Hill-Wood, sympathetic to the enormous pressures being put upon Venables in Spain and by his domestic difficulties, is awaiting a decision from the Barcelona manager.

I understand that Venable who was more subdued in Fprin hist week than one rould have expected of a man who had just schemed the defeat of the world champions, has also been approached by

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ROWING **CROSS-COUNTRY** MOTOR RACING TENNIS Navratilova assured of Oxford pull Budd leads women to victory Piquet's together

Sharjah (Reuter) - The suc-on April 10. The Australasia event will

ing the last of three teams -India, Pakistan, or Sri Lanka due to compete with Bangladesh in the Asia Cup series in man of the Cricket Benefit Sri Lanka from March 30 to Fund series, said recently that April 6, Australia will play the April 6. Australia will play the second best of the three on April 11, with the semi-finals on the 13th and 15th and the final on the 18th



SQUAD; Imran Khan (captain), Javed Miandad, Mudessar Nazar, Mohsin Khan, Qasim Omar, Ramesz Raja, Satim Malik, Wasim Akram, Abdui Qadir, Zukgamain, Zakir Khan, Mohsin Kamal, Tauseel Ahmed, Mansoor Elahi.

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been rowed since the 1920s, but in those days they used to

et marked for style as well.

There were no marks going for

artistic impression yesterday

The women's boat race has

Mandlikova, the reigning United States Open champion, defeated the second seed, Chris Lloyd, 6-3, 7-5 to join the top seed. Martina Navratilova, in yesterday's five-set final of the Virginia Slims champinnship finals at Madison Square Garden. Miss Navratilnva crushed the West German, Steffi Graf, 6-2, 6-2 in only 53 minutes. The defeat of Mrs Llnyd

assures Miss Navratilova of

the World Championship title

bonus that goes with it. Mrs Lloyd finished second in the season-long points race to earn \$150,000 (£103,500). Miss. Mandlikova breezed through the first set in 34 minutes, although Mrs Lloyd

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fought off five set points before falling. Miss Graf, the third seed, was no match for Miss Navratilova, who dominated her 16-year-old opponent from the baseline and at the net.

when Oxford beat Cambridge by half a length in a crackerack race. The race is not over the Boat Race course. The crews battled it out, the lead chopping and changing bewilderingly at Henley. They rowed over 1,890m, starting opposite ground that looked oddly na-

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ked without marquees full of Pinnus, and finishing in sumptoous or despairing heaps at Cemple Island. There is a little touch of whimsy about it all. The reserve crews are not Isis and Goldie but Osiris and Blondie. The interests of the Camhridge secretary. Catie Wallis,

are getting thinner and grant-ing but these are still the jokes of serious athletes, who are the product of daily gym sessions and vaniting amhition. "There are far more women

rowing at Oxford and Cam-Shields in her England vest bridge these days," the Cam-hridge president, Jodith Slater (interests: oppression of op pressed minorities) said, "because there are far more women at the two universities than there were 15 years ago." The women naturally suffer

from shart fands and generally being overshadowed by the other Boat Race. But they are working on both of these drawbacks. Oxford even want to row the race over the fall Boat Race course; Cambridge prefer the current four-event card at Henley. "We don't want to be just the poor man's Boat Race." Miss Wallis said. This year. television camfinished with an even par 72. eras followed the race, and it

will be shown as part of the Boat Race preliminaries next Saturday. It was the kind of race that makes one's heart bleed impartially for any loser.

bleed impartially for any loser. OXFORD: Bow, L Wassell (Tattot East & Pemproke); 2. K Hedfeld (Manchester & St Armee); 3. C Grifffins (Hul, Haleybury Colege & Green); 4. 2 Horne (Man-borough & St Antonys); 5. T Beid (New Hall, Doves & Scinervile); 6. J Gough (Abbot's Bromley & St Cathernies); 7. A Beoner (Picney Kay); 5. T Beid (New Hall, Doves & Scinervile); 6. J Gough (Abbot's Bromley & St Cathernies); 7. A Beoner (Picney Kay); 5. T Beid (Marbot's Bromley & St Cathernies); 7. A Beoner (Herschef & Perproke); cox; 5 Sheddetan (St Holers & Brasenose) CAMERIDGE Bow, IR Owen [St Pauls & Jesus); 2. E Vigness (Kings, Ely & Downing; 3. N Marray (Gornostour & Trint); 4. J Satar (Hower's, Denoch & St Johns); 5. K Laureson (Edicturg) Acad-any & Newnham; 8. S Turner (Lowlands & Sydney Susper); 7. G Wails (Pornay & Selwyn); stroke, M Reichall (S Josen's); Reading, SI Hidas, Colord & Ghurchal), cox. J Bolastic (Armena & Robenson); O'MER RESULT: Camerals (Bohrson); O'MER RESULT: Camerals (Bohrson); MEN'S RESULT: Camerals (Bohrson); MEN'S RESULT: Camerals (Bohrson); Men's Result: Camerals (Bohrson); More rewing, page 28

A sell-out Ticket sales for the Com-monwealth Games in Edinburgh from July 24 to August

that all eight days of track and More rowing, page 28 | field are sold out.

From Pat Butcher, Athletics Correspondent, Neuchitel

British athletics looked to was indeed the person in 34th place on the video of the race. Miss Budd agreed afterwards that she was wrong not to wear shoes on a course, which, albeit firm, had been

made greasy by early morning rain. In the one or two spots where there was also light mud and water, she had difficulty keeping her footing. Nonetheless she ran out the winner by 15 seconds over the United States champion, Lynn Jennings, with a final time for the 5km course of 14min 49.6sec. Miss Budd won impressively for the second year in succession and England enjoyed their first victory in the

women's team race since 1974. They also won in 1973 the first year of the event.

The men's and junior men's races were dominated by the central highlands Africans, with the much-vaunted England team making the same fast start as their female colleagues hat paying more dearly for it.

the New Zealand women were John Ngugi, until yesterday the jnry of appeal two hours of an internationally unknown Kenyan, established a lead of deliberation to decide that the unmistakable figure of Mrs 100m by the half-way point in the men's 12km race, was

SPORT IN BRIEF



#### Wilander: easy win.

#### **Kidd** auits

Brian Kidd, the manager of Preston North End, anchored at the bottom of the fourth division, resigned on Satur-day, blaming his departure on an mability to develop a satisfactory working relation-ship with the Preston board

Hamburg (AP) - An East German footballer who defected to the West, will start training next week with Nuremberg's Bundesliga team Frank Lippmann, formerty of Dynamo Dresden, disappeared from his team's hotel in Krefeld, West Germany, after a European Cup Wmners' Cup match there last Wednesday

pulled back in the last kilometre by. Ahehe Mekonnon, of Ethiopia, yet mustered his forces to sprint

Ngugi's colleagues reversed the recent results over the Ethiopians when, with five finishers inside the first eight, the Kenyans easily won the team race with 45 points. victory in the Brazilian Grand Prix at Rio de Janeiro, Before After their impressive start, the race all the other team when they had four men chiefs posed on the startline for the TV cameras behind a inside the first 15, England could finish only eighth on large board carrying the mes-359 points. sage: "Don't worry Frank, we're minding the store!" But

The morning after the fight before: Gower, 51 overnight, lived for only another 15 runs

Dave Clarke was bestplaced in 16th

Piquet's management of the fuel consumption by his Honda engine which got the job done over the 61-lap race. After taking the lead from his fellow Brazilian, Ayrton Senna, on the third lap, Piquet worked his way into a com-fortable position after the second of his two pit stops for LYTCS. Only two other cars com-pleted the full distance, Jacques Laffite overhaufing his Ligier team partner, René Arnoux, nine laps from the

finish to earn the third position on the victory rostrum.

Broderick Dyke, of Australia. and capture the Belgian indoor championship. The strong-serving Wilander won 6-2, 6-3 to take the £34,500 first prize.

across, squeezing Mansell into a spin that sent high pose-first into the barrier. He was unhurt Ineligible Senna led for two more laps before Piquet took command Harare (Renter) - Kevin and then the Williams driver Curran, the Gloucestershire

llowed the world champion county cricketer, has lost his eligibility to play for Zimba-bwe. Boru in the farming area Alain Prost, into a brief lead when he pulled into the pits. for his first tyre stop on lap 18. of Rusape in eastern Zimba-Prost and Rosberg, in bwe, he failed to renounce his claum to Irish cauzenship by a McLarens, retired with engine

deadline of December 2 last trouble, as did Alan Jones and Patrick Tambay, m Lolas The new Brabhams were well off **Flying doctor** the pace yesterday and clearly require more development he-fore restailing their full poten-tuil, but the newcomer-Johnny Dumfries had fan excellent first race for the JPS. Roger Hackney, ignored by the Weish selectors for the world cross-country championships, won the Pearl Assur-ance half marathon at Fleet. Lotus team for which he was Hampshire, yesterday. The holding fifth place before a RAF doctor beat his Aldershot long pit stop burt him club-mate. Bernie Ford, by 26

RESULTE: 1. R-Pojust (B). Wilkema: Honda, 61 laps, thr 35min 62 505mer; 2. A Serne (B). Jr3 Lotte-Persain, 34 827 sec. Jorinn 3 J. Laffea (F). Loge-Persain, 54 827 sec. Sec. Sec. Colored & R. Anoux (F). Logier Ranaut 3 2299c behmd 4 R Anoux (F). Logier (GB), Tyrrel-Remark 4 lap behmd, 6 G. Berger (Austre) - Benetico-BMW, 1 ap behmd seconds in a time of 64min 7sec Ford's wife, Ann, also had to be content with second place as she was beaten by her twin, Paula Fudge, who won

Tottenham. They are willing to pay him well in excess of what Arsenal would be willing effort a or able to consider. Yet I believe that Yenable

if he returns to London, would be reluctant to consider Tottenham because of certain personality clashes, and that if he has any understanding it is only one expressed in the broadest gentlemanly terms with Arsenal.

However, one factor that will also possibly influence the decision, as I mentioned last week, is that Venables would wish to be considered for the position of England manager should the FA decide not to continue with Bobby Robson in the race to follow, it was after the World Cap. Arsenal are aware of the risk that if. they appointed Venables they might subsequently be con-fronted by his wish, if ap-proached, to consider the

national job. More football, page 30

SNOOKER

Thorburn's 118 first century of tournament

Cliff Thorburn, Canada's captain in the Car Care Plan world team championship at Bournemouth, made the first century break of the tournament in the 17-frame finalagainst Ireland, the holders, yesterday (Sydney Friskin writes). His 118 was answered to the 87 made by Dennis Laylor in the first frame.

Kirk Stevens eame in next. to take both frames off Eugene Hughes and give Canada a 3-1 lead. Stevens made a break of 59 in the first frame and snatched the second with a run on the colours after Hughes had made a costly mistake on the yellow. Alex Higgins, however, levelled the-match at 3-3 by taking both frames off Bill Werbennuk and later the score was 4-4.

Thorburn had played a vital role in Canada's 5-3 victory over England in the semi-finals on Saturday

RESULTS: Semi-ficels; instand A bi RESULTS: Sepi-finals: Instand A bi Wates, 5-2 (Intel names first): A Higgms bcD. Mountoy, 65-18, 105-23, E Hughes lost to F Readon, 30-66/53-67 D Taylor br T Griffins, 66-21, 101.14 ...78-8 ...Canada bt England, 5-8 (Canadian names first). C Thortourn drew with A Knowles 27-110, 69-25 K Stevens bit J Write 85-8 56-27 W Werteniuk drew with S Davis, 87-24 ...19-68. Thorbian drew with Davis 31-87 50-50 Pinel: Inland A draws with Dapids. 4-4 (Insh names 1859, 75-93 Higgins bt Worteniuk (77-52-63 Higgins bt Worteniuk (77-52-63 Higgins bt Werteniuk (77-52-63 Higgins bt Werteniuk (77-52-63 Higgins bt Werteniuk (77-52-63 Higgins bt Werteniuk (77-52-63 Higgins bt

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in 72min 47sec ;...

Dyke buster Brussels (AP) - Sweden's Mats Wilander, the No. 1 seed, needed just over an hour yesterday to overcome the giant-killer of earlier rounds,

Behind them came Martin Brundle. After a clean start from which the 25-car field got away smoothly, there was drama at the fifth corner after Nigel Mansell had lined up his Williams-Honda to take the lead from Senna. He got along fine entering the left-hand corner but Senna nioved

true tonic By John Blunsden away again to victory. Nelson Piquet and the Canon Williams team gave the best possible tonic to the injured Frank Williams yesterday by scoring a decisive